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MONROE, LOUISIANA, SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1947

THE WEATHER

LOUISIANA—Fair Sunday and Monday, not much change in temperature. Strong northerly winds on coast Sunday becoming variable Monday.
ARKANSAS—Fair Sunday and Monday. Moderate temperatures.
MONROE: Maximum 75.4; minimum 38.8.

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FEAR BUDGET CUT WILL DISARM U. S.

BRITISH INDUSTRY FINDS SMALL HOPE OF ENDING CRISIS

Workers Toil To Unload Ships Racing Coal From Northern Pits

LEADERS DECLARE CURBS ON POWER MUST CONTINUE

LONDON, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Britain faced an indefinite continuation of the industrial paralysis brought on by a fuel shortage. Manufacturers in the Manchester area stated the industrial paralysis there would last at least a second week despite a government announcement of "real and steady progress" in the six-day battle to move storm-bound coal supplies.

An army of workers, preparing to work overtime Sunday, toiled into the night unloading coal ships and trains racing supplies from Welsh and northern coal pits. However, Sir Guy Nott-Bower, undersecretary of fuel, said "stocks have only just begun to move upwards and still stand well below the safety level."

Despite his report of progress in the battle, Sir Guy refused to estimate when the crisis would end, and said some form of restrictions on electricity use would stay for many months and perhaps years.

Industrialists in the great northern manufacturing area surrounding Manchester announced that members of the northwest regional board of industry "did not feel disposed to recommend resumption of power for industry before a week from next Monday."

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President To End National Emergency By July 31

Move Will Erase Most Of 105 Wartime Laws; Truman Expected To Ask Congress To Extend Powers He Feels Necessary

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—(AP)—President Truman plans to declare the national emergency ended before July 31, a high official disclosed today, erasing most of 105 wartime laws then or six months later.

In preparation for this declaration, the official said, Mr. Truman expects to send to Congress within the next fortnight a message recommending permanent extension of such laws as he deems necessary.

This legislative job can be completed during the present session, the official said. Thereupon Mr. Truman "can seriously consider ending the emergency before the adjournment this summer."

White House advisers have decided that the "state of emergency" can be terminated before the war itself is officially ended. An additional 250 or more laws based on "the duration of the war," or some limited period thereafter, would remain in force.

Members of the White House staff expect to go to work on "end-of-the-war" recommendations to Congress immediately after the emergency message is sent, on the theory that the war could be ended for most domestic purposes before the peace treaties are signed.

The end-of-emergency message will cover powers granted under both the "limited" emergency declared on Sept. 8, 1939, just after the outbreak of war overseas, and the full emergency proclaimed May 27, 1941, after the German sweep of Europe.

It was not disclosed which powers Mr. Truman will ask to have extended. Those which would otherwise expire upon the termination of the emergency—many of them already dormant or nearly so—include:

The requisitioning of ships; lease of vessels to friendly nations; arming of merchant vessels; authority to transfer the coast guard to the navy; purchase of property.

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U. S. Army Plane Hunting For Jap Soldier Holdouts

Philippine Island Combed At Treetop Level For Some Of Men Wanted For Flame Execution Of 150 Americans

MANILA, Feb. 15.—(AP)—A U. S. army plane flew over northwestern Palawan for hours at treetop level today in an inconclusive search for some 200 Japanese soldier holdouts who may be the most-wanted men on the war criminal list—perpetrators of the fiendish flaming-gasoline execution of 150 American prisoners.

A war crimes investigator and a group of observers, including this correspondent, cruised over the desolate jungles of Palawan some 310 miles southwest of Manila. We covered an area along the northwest coast stretching from Mayday Bay 30 to 50 miles inland in all directions.

Maj. Albert T. Haviland of Orange, N. J., piloted the 13th air force B-25 so close to the earth that gusts of steamy jungle air set the plane pitching, but we saw no positive evidence of the Japanese.

We sighted some clearings and well kept shacks but no humans.

"That's an indication they are Japs," said Prentiss (Pete) Miles of West Frankfort, Ill., who owns a lumber mill near Mayday Bay and who previously had reported Japanese were in that area.

There have been other reports within the week of Filipino fishermen being abducted by the Japanese. Maj. R. R. Prewitt, chief investigator of the war crimes legal section here, received a report Thursday that eight Filipinos had been killed by the Japs.

Prewitt, former Fourth armored division combat officer from Houston, Tex., has been on the trail of the Palawan atrocity gang for months.

He has depositions describing this tragedy of Dec. 14, 1944, but the criminals never have been apprehended. Driven into air raid shelter trenches, 150 Americans were drenched with gasoline and set afire at the Japanese barracks at Puerto Princesa, a short distance across Palawan from Mayday Bay. Those who fled, flaming, were shot down by machine guns and rifles. Some begged to be shot to end their agony.

Major Prewitt said he intended to drop leaflets to the Japanese, telling them the war was over and carrying a picture of General MacArthur and Emperor Hirohito together as proof, but it would be useless to strew them.

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Elderly Landlord Held For Murder After Shooting Too Noisy Tenants

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Two murder charges were filed today against 63-year-old Jacob Watson, apartment house owner—outgrowth of the slaying of two of his tenants who he said were too noisy.

In jail Watson said he slept well last night, after the double shooting for the first time in a week.

While funeral plans were made for the victims, Harold Collins, 40, a busboy, and Estelle Lincoln, 33, Watson talked freely to reporters.

"I made up my mind to kill them a couple of weeks ago," he said.

CHIANG DECLARES U. S. RESPONSIBLE FOR WAR IN CHINA

Contents Decision To Withhold Armaments Has Prolonged Conflict

REFUSES TO ACCEPT NOTE FROM COMMUNIST LEADERS

NANKING, Feb. 15.—(AP)—The United States decision to withhold further armaments and credits from the Chinese government is blamed by Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek for prolonging the civil war, which he is determined to end by smashing the Chinese Communist armies, sources closest to the Chinese leader declared today.

As supporting evidence of these sources' assertion that Chiang is fully convinced force is the only means of settling the Communist problem were these developments:

His armies today were fighting their way inside the Communist stronghold of Lini in southern Shantung province, and

Chiang sternly declined to accept delivery of a communication from Communist political leaders.

Confidantes said Chiang reasoned that the Communist problem could have been settled earlier if the United States had continued supplying him with guns, ammunition and credits so his armies could destroy the Communist forces which for more than a year have been hamstringing reconstruction.

One of the high sources said, "the generalissimo is bitter that this argument failed to move President Truman and General Marshall, who insisted that the civil war be halted before they would be willing to extend the Kuomintang 'government pay' further support."

The war continued and government reorganization was delayed. In January

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YEAR'S JAIL TERM FOR P. O. BURGLAR

Sentenced For Destroying U. S. Property; Ex-Servicemen Get Probation

John Jackson Pope, 36, of Meridian, Miss., who heaved a chunk of concrete through a window of the Monroe Post Office in an admitted attempt to enter and loot lock boxes early on the morning of January 31, pleaded guilty of destruction of government property when arraigned in federal district court here yesterday and was sentenced to serve one year in jail at Texarkana, Ark. The sentence was the limit for a misdemeanor, as the offense is classified under federal law.

Pope was shown to have served two prison sentences, one for theft of mail at the Meridian Post Office.

Pleas of guilty of theft of government property at Selman field last November 4 were entered by James Russell Jones, Anthony Francis Sealmon, Oscar Jack Wicks, Jr., and Anthony Elmer Stroeder, and imposition of sentence was deferred for a period of five years. In placing the defendants under probation, Judge Ben C. Dawkins said he had considered the splendid war records of the four young ex-servicemen and the fact that none of them had been in trouble previously.

At the request of the district attorney and counsel for the defense, arraignment for sentence of Harry Weiner, Al Needleman and Irwin Kott, New York liquor dealers who were convicted of conspiracy and OPA price regulations violation in the Tallulah black market whiskey case trial

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ARMY ENDS PLANE ALERT IN REICH

FRANKFURT, Germany, Feb. 15.—(AP)—The United States army in Germany announced tonight it had canceled its long-range alert for American transport planes and declared mysteriously that "the emergency apparently has passed."

The crews of the 28 big C-47 planes at Riem airfield near Munich were alerted this morning.

The mystery deepened with the announcement tonight that an army spokesman, Col. George S. Eyster, theater public relations chief, who said:

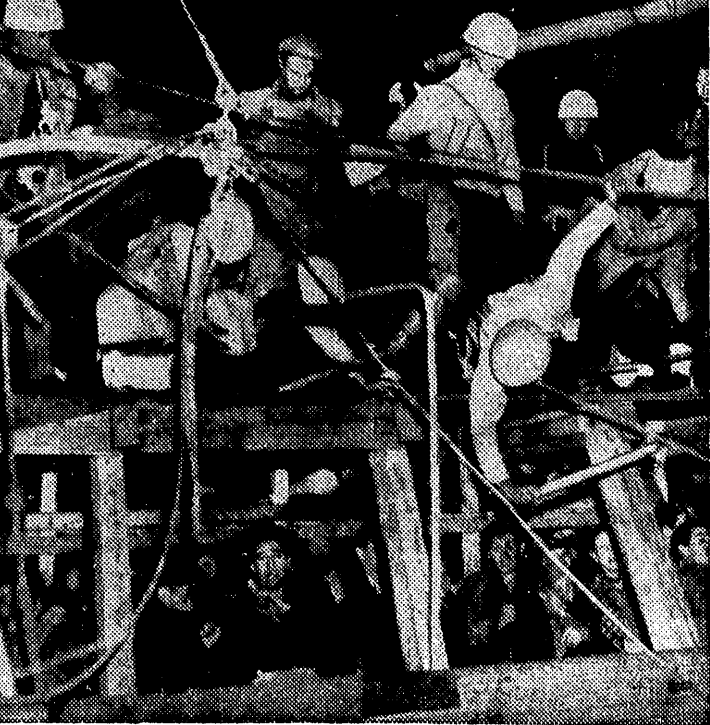
"Whatever their mission was, it has been completely cancelled and dropped."

He indicated that the alert and its cancellation were on orders from the military. He said the action had "a planned purpose."

If he were required to speculate, Eyster continued, he would guess that the planes were alerted for a relief mission to a "stricken area."

Eyster said it was "obvious" that the planes would not have carried troops since they were unarmed and he said he "did not think" they were alerted for flight to Palestine to evacuate American or British residents.

British Battle Jewish Refugees



Members of a British naval boarding party swing clubs in an attempt to quell a disturbance among Jewish refugees as they were about to be removed from the schooner Lanegev in the harbor at Haifa, Palestine, for transfer to Cyprus. (AP Wirephoto).

3 Senators Appear To Hold Key To Fate Of Lilienthal

Outcome Of Battle Seen As Hinging Upon Decision Of Vandenberg, Russell, And Hickenlooper In Committee Ballot

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Two Republicans and a Democrat appeared today to hold the key to Senate confirmation or rejection of David E. Lilienthal and his associates on the new atomic energy commission.

Now Senators Vandenberg (R-Mich.), Hickenlooper (R-Iowa) and Russell (D-Cal.) finally decide to vote after the Senate atomic committee concludes hearings, possibly late next week, may have a determining influence on enough of their colleagues to be decisive.

If Vandenberg and Hickenlooper should come out in support of the nomination, their colleagues said, Republican opposition which has been snowballed into formidable size by Senator Wherry of Nebraska, the GOP whip, might be split wide open.

Similarly, if Russell elects to support Lilienthal, his judgment may influence strongly many of the Democrats who are unenthusiastic about President Truman's selection for the commission chairmanship but would be willing to string along with the Georgia Senator.

Emphasizing the split among Republicans, Senator Bushfield (SD) announced today he is opposed to Lilienthal and Senator Aiken (VT) told a reporter he will support the nominee unless some new and startling disclosures are made.

Bushfield said he does not agree with Lilienthal's "philosophy of government."

Aiken declared the whole matter involves "a fight between those who want to erect a wall around this country and those of us who believe that we must take part in this new atomic world."

On the Democratic side, Senator Ellender (La.) said he will vote for Lilienthal "unless some proof is produced that hasn't been shown yet to substantiate the charges against him."

Earlier, Senator Tobey (R-NH) said in a statement he intends to support Lilienthal and the other nominees "unqualifiedly."

The evident split among Republicans made it likely that opposition by Hickenlooper, Chairman of the Atomic

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CAMERA SHOTGUN VICTIM SUES CITY FOR NEGLECT

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Mrs. Olga Rocco, alleging that the police "refused and neglected" to protect her, from her husband, has made a \$200,000 claim on the city for the leg she lost in the bizarre "camera gun" shooting in a Times Square subway station on New Year's Eve.

The pretty 28-year-old woman, now recovering in a hospital, charges the police were negligent in not providing protection after an earlier attempt on her life, when she was shot through a window last Nov. 1.

Her lawyers filed a petition for damages with Mayor William O'Dwyer, it was revealed yesterday.

Her estranged husband, Alphonse, whom she blamed for master-minding the shooting in the subway station, was shot to death by police in an upstairs manhunt.

Mrs. Rocco was hit by a shotgun blast, fired by 19-year-old Pearl Lusk who told police she believed she was using a camera. Miss Lusk, who was exonerated by authorities, said Rocco employed her, telling her he was an insurance investigator, that the "camera" could take X-ray pictures and that the woman he wanted photographed was carrying stolen jewels.

One of Mrs. Rocco's lawyers, Samuel Douglas, said the petition for damages was not a court action. He said the city owed her "a moral obligation to compensate her for the serious injuries resulting directly from its neglect to provide her with protection."

Senate Expected To Reject Proposed \$6 Billion Slash

Democrats Contend Reduction Will Hamstring Marshall; Serious Damage To American Prestige Abroad Forecast

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Nineteen House Democrats blasted the proposed \$6,000,000,000 budget slash today on the ground it might hamstring Secretary of State Marshall at Moscow, and Senator Vandenberg, Republican, Michigan, expressed "fear" it would mean disarmament.

With Vandenberg coming out against any cuts that would force this country to "disarm alone," indications mounted that the Senate will reject the \$6,000,000,000 cut in favor of a smaller one. Chairman Bridges, Republican, New Hampshire, of the appropriations committee, in fact, conceded as much.

The House Democrats, members of the appropriations and ways and means committees, filed their protests as a minority report to that adopted by the Senate-House budget committee yesterday recommending the cut. Individually, they declared their intentions of fighting the reduction on the floor.

Their statement, drafted at a conference, urged a delay in fixing the Congressional spending ceiling until "actual hearings" can be held.

"It is possible that such delay, especially if international agreements for permanent world peace should be effectuated in the meantime," the statement said, "would make possible and feasible even greater reductions."

The Democrats added that "such delay would avoid the dangers of a premature announcement of precipitous reductions of appropriations in support of our armed forces which might militate against the effectiveness of our diplomatic representatives at the Moscow conference and other international conferences scheduled for the next few weeks."

"They promised to 'press for and cooperate in the reduction of appropriations in every consistent and practical way,'" they said they could not approve the flat slash of President Truman's \$37,500,000,000 estimates for the fiscal

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U. S. ANTI-TRUST UNIT HEAD QUILTS

Wendell Berge, Long-Standing Foe Of Monopolists, To Leave May 1

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Wendell Berge, Assistant Attorney General in charge of the Anti-Trust division, resigned tonight, effective May 1.

This was announced by Attorney General Tom Clark, who expressed regret at Berge's departure. The resignation was submitted to President Truman January 30.

Berge will become a partner in a Washington and New York law firm. In charge of the Anti-Trust division of the Department of Justice since August 28, 1943, Berge first joined the department in 1920.

President Truman in a letter to Berge said that the work which "you have recently been engaged in is most vital to the nation and must be continued with vigor."

Clark wrote Berge that "your long service of seven years in the department is a record of which you may be proud."

Clark added that Berge's "splendid work" as head of the Anti-Trust and also the criminal divisions of the department is appreciated not only by the department, "but by all persons interested in law-enforcement particularly in the anti-trust field."

President Truman agreed to accept the resignation February 7. Clark's announcement tonight means that Berge will have two and a half months to wind up his justice department affairs, before the effective quitting date.

Berge, 43, is a native of Lincoln, Neb. A graduate of the University of Michigan, he was appointed a special assistant to the Attorney General in 1930 after two years with a New York law firm.

Assigned at once to the Anti-Trust division, of the department, Berge received various promotions and in 1941 was made an Assistant Attorney General by President Roosevelt.

An out-spoken foe of cartels, or international industrial and trade agreements, Berge also has been active in pushing anti-trust suits against various branches of the domestic economy.

He has urged vigorous enforcement of the anti-trust laws as an aid to postwar economic welfare.

"Anti-trust laws, he has contended, 'do not provide a bureaucracy to tell business what to do. Instead their enforcement assures a market free from the restrictions and controls of

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Truman, Alarmed About Mother's Fall, Flies Home For A Checkup

GRANDVIEW, Mo., Feb. 15.—(AP)—President Truman, worried about his mother's hip fracture, flew in from Washington today, found her condition satisfactory and decided to fly back to the White House tomorrow afternoon.

The 94-year-old Mrs. Martha E. Truman may be out of bed within six weeks, because of her willpower, Brig. Gen. Wallace Graham, the president's personal physician announced after a three-doctor consultation.

"With all the willpower she has, she just has to get well," Graham told a conference of newspapermen after a consultation with Dr. Gertrude McKee, of Belton, Mo., and Dr. Joseph W. Greene, of Independence, in which X-rays of Mrs. Truman's hip fracture were examined.

The president drove into Kansas City after the consultation to spend the night in his pent-house at the Hotel Muehlebach.

He will visit his mother again before taking off at 2 p. m. (central standard time) (9 p. m. E. S. T.) tomorrow in his private plane "The Sacred Cow" for Washington.

Graham's announcement followed a day of fast breaking developments, topped by the president's unheralded

\$1,129.97 CASH STOLEN IN BURGLARY OF DAIRY

The new plant of the Clover Leaf Dairy Products Company at Louisville Avenue and Eighteenth Street was broken into Friday night and \$1,129.97 was stolen.

Mrs. M. L. Johnson, manager, called police to the plant at 7:45 a. m. Saturday after an employee had reported finding a rear door open. Entrance to the office was gained by raising an unlocked window and a desk drawer was forced to reach the cash.

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MAYOR OF TALLULAH IS CRITICALLY ILL

TALLULAH, Feb. 15.—(Special)—T. H. Montgomery, who was elected to a four-year term as mayor of Tallulah last year, was reported today as in a critical condition at a Vicksburg, Miss., hospital.

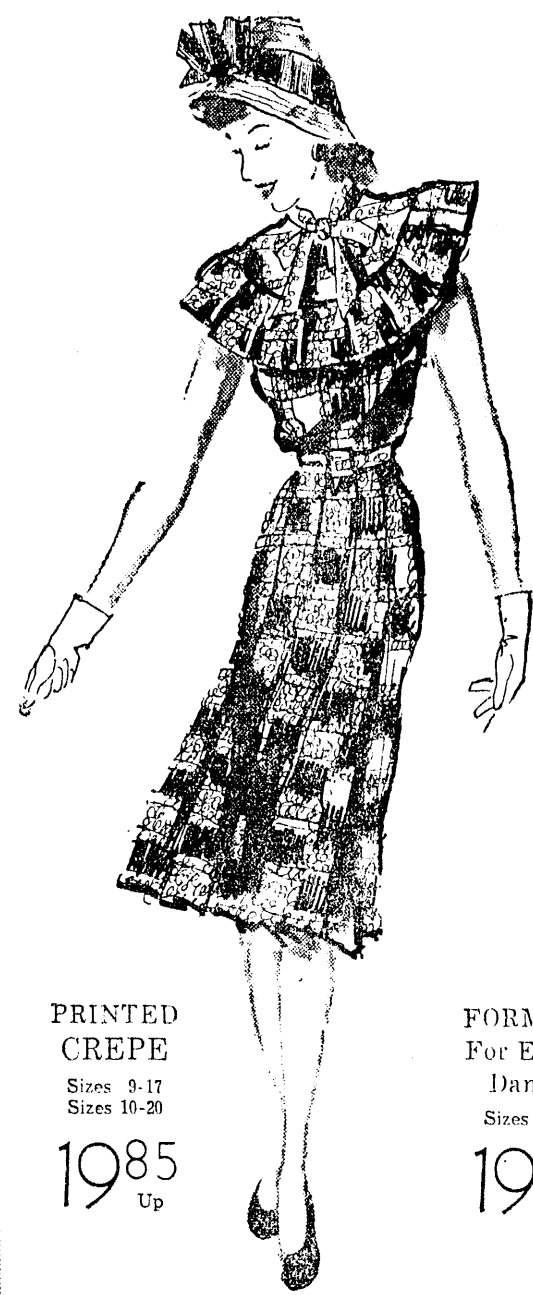
Mayor Montgomery was said to be suffering from a heart ailment.

PREVIEW of SPRING and

Easter FASHIONS . .



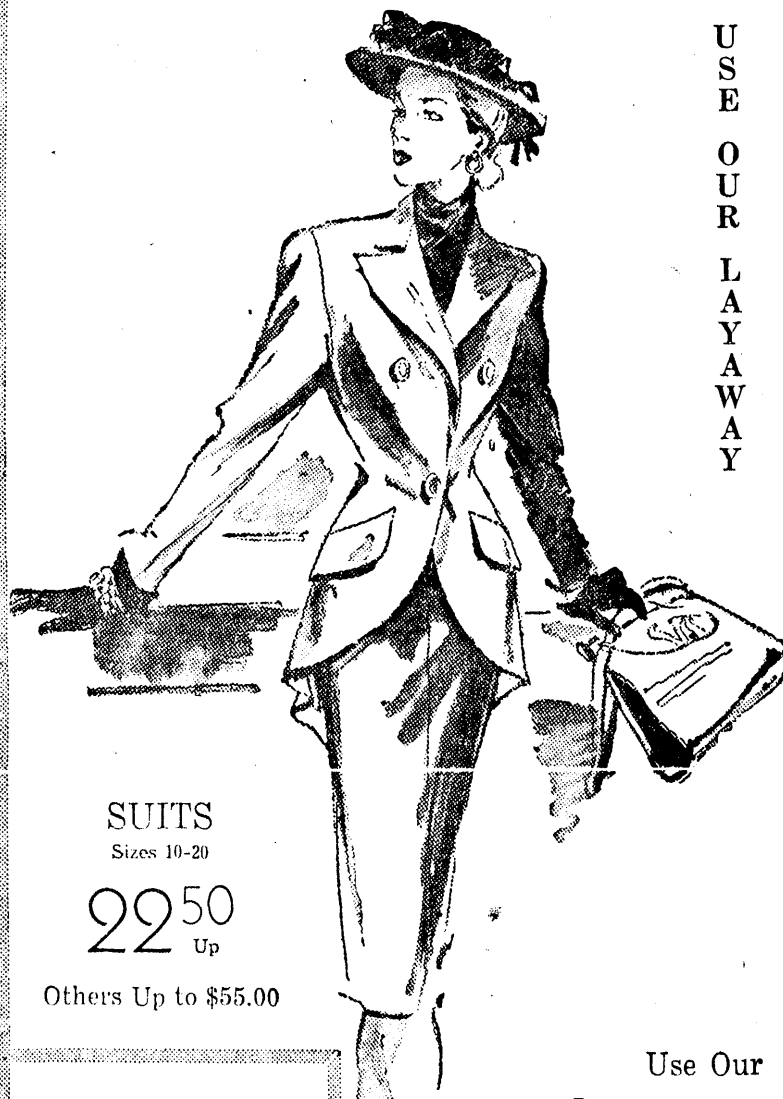
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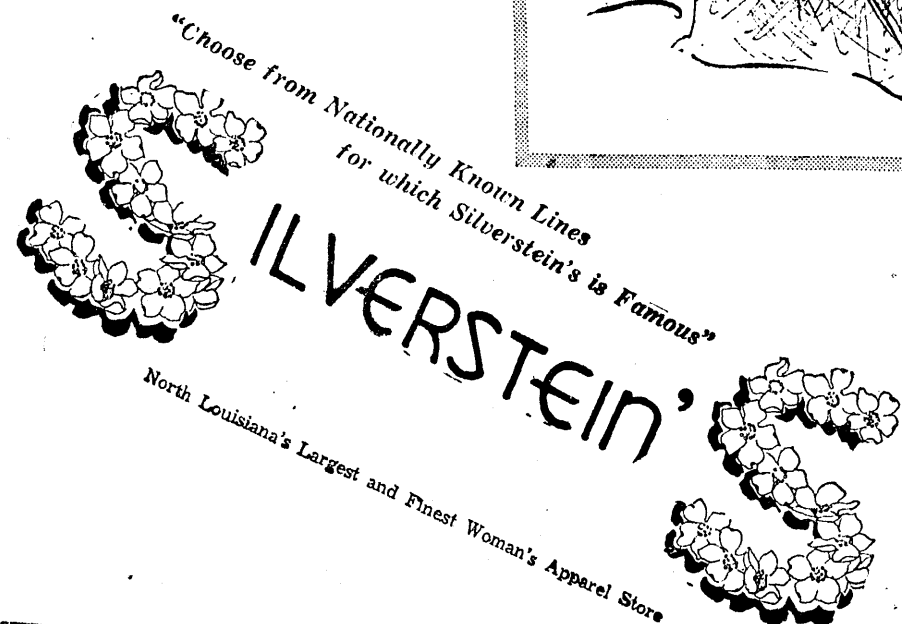
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VETS' BENEFITS IN MONTH GIVEN

Over One Million Dollars Thus Disbursed During January

More than \$1,345,041.61 in entitled benefits resulted from efforts of the state department of veterans' affairs, through the parish service officers during the month of January, 1947. Joe Darwin, director, estimated today. This compared to \$372,313.85, the sum procured in January, 1946.

The parish service officers made 42,739 contacts with veterans seeking rights to which they are entitled by law and by their service, sent and received 85,309 letters pertaining to these benefits, and assisted in the filing of 23,355 claims for the 31-day period.

A breakdown of the aggregate figure includes \$864,405.37 in educational benefits. Of this sum, Tangipahoa parish collected \$76,760.47; Orleans, \$75,852.33; Washington parish, \$46,457.90; Avoyelles, \$46,364.36.

A total of \$170,846.30 in service connected compensation was obtained in which Orleans parish led with \$20,507.84; Caddo, \$15,181.22; East Baton Rouge, \$10,152.76.

Caddo parish collected \$50,000 insurance benefits, Orleans, \$35,000; Washington, \$46,457; Avoyelles, \$46,364.36.

Non-service connected benefits totaled \$15,457.56; East Baton Rouge leading with \$2,520.86; Orleans, \$1,882; Rapides, \$1,884.86.

Dependents' veterans collected \$88,415.88 in death compensation. Orleans procured \$11,834.19; Caddo, \$7,502.50; East Baton Rouge, \$5,393.74; Rapides, \$5,146.76; Franklin, \$4,150.06.

More than 4,912 terminal leave applications were filed, Orleans completing 937; East Baton Rouge, 434; Caddo, 345; and Calcasieu, 241.

Additional 17,337 miscellaneous claims were filed also, for which no monetary estimate can be made, but which would advance the total by a huge amount, Director Darwin analyzed.

JUST LOOKING FOR GIRL, SAYS BURGLARY SUSPECT

Bill Joe Danzey, 21, of 711 Plum Street, insists he was bent on romance and not robbery when he cut a screen raised a window and started to climb into a room at the home of Mrs. Blanche R. Collins, 500 Hudson Lane, late Friday night, but the latter told police, who arrested him later as a burglary suspect, that she would have him prosecuted for "breaking and entering."

Danzey was seen at the Collins home by a neighbor, who furnished a description of him and his car to police. He was arrested some time later in the business district. Another youth and a girl, who were with him, were not held.

In a statement signed at the police station, the prisoner said he had been looking for a girl who stays at the Collins residence and, in the belief that she was asleep, he decided to enter her room to awaken her. After climbing up into the window he saw she was not in the room, and left. His knife and a bunch of keys were found on the floor of the room.

A charge of trespassing was filed against the youth in city court Saturday morning and he was released on \$100 bond for appearance for trial Monday.

In some of the rug weaving districts of the Orient, one man specializes in dyeing the yarn for each color. If a dozen colors are used, each color will have its own specialist. Usually the formula used by the dyer is his own secret.

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SPEAKER



Joseph F. Landis (above), widely known educator and national president of the American Federation of Teachers, will address a gathering of teachers and parents of Monroe and West Monroe in the civil court room on the third floor of the parish courthouse at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening. The meeting is sponsored by the Central Trades and Labor Council. Mr. Landis is a classroom teacher of English in Collinwood High School, Cleveland, Ohio, where he has taught for 20 years. Previously he was director of physical education and athletics in the East High School at Cleveland. His announced topic here is "Teacher Salaries—How They Can Be Increased."

PUBLIC FORUM

Editor, News-Star-World.

Dear Sir: The classroom teachers of the state are of the opinion that school administrators should refrain from the continued use of "average figures" in presenting the financial setup of the public school system in regard to teacher pay. Averages cover up rather than reveal the true situation.

According to figures released by Superintendent John E. Cox, the average annual salary of the teachers of the state is \$2,059.00. It is not our intention to question that statement but to show how misleading such an average figure really is.

I shall take the case of the classroom teachers of Ouachita parish since that is where I am employed and the case with which I am most familiar.

The salary schedule that was adopted by the Ouachita Parish School Board at the beginning of the present school session is as follows: Beginning pay for a teacher with a B. A. degree is \$152.50 per month for ten months (ten months' schedule adopted this school session), an annual salary of \$1,525.00. For each year's experience the teacher receives an increase of \$2.50 per month or \$25.00 annually, up to 21 years. Accordingly the maximum salary which a teacher with a B. A. degree may receive in Ouachita parish is \$2,500.00.

Under the present salary schedule the classroom teacher of Ouachita parish will never make even the average salary.

Don't you agree with me that the use of an average figure camouflages the true facts. It is a case of inequitable distribution of the school funds—too few get too much!

I wonder if Mr. Cox would publish how many teachers of the state get below the average.

A CLASSROOM TEACHER OF OUACHITA PARISH.

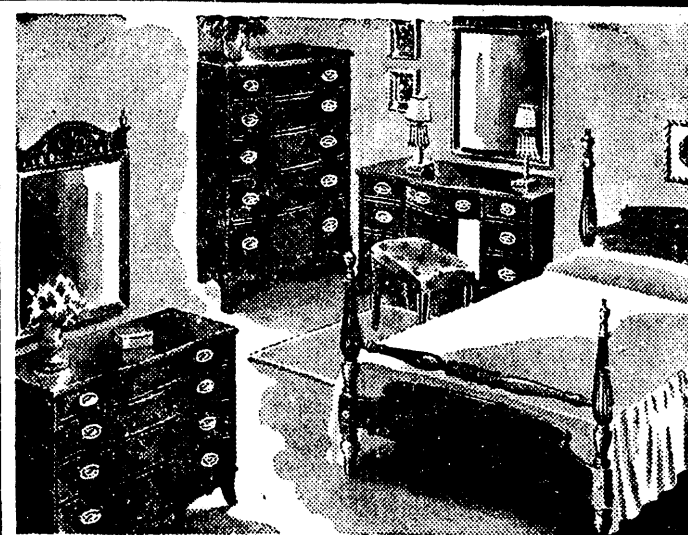
OPTIMIST CLUB MEETS AT HOTEL

Junior Optimists will install officers next Thursday at 7:30 p.m., stated Charles Stratford, chairman of the boys' work committee of the Optimist Club. Announcement was made at the weekly meeting of the Optimist Club in Hotel Frances, Friday night.

The boxing committee reported a contest with the Shreveport boxing team at the Kallio Arena Thursday night, February 20.

Rabbi F. K. Hirsch spoke on "Boy Scouts of the World Building for Tomorrow." He lauded the formative influence of home life.

"The mother shares honor with the boy. When the young Scout advances to Eagle Scout, his mother pins the award on her son and he in turn pins a replica on his mother. Scouting leads to physical, mental and moral development," the rabbi stated in conclusion.



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THE NATION TODAY

By James Marlow

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—(AP)—This is a red hot season in Congress for changing the Constitution.

But changing it is no cinch. At least 35 members of the House and about six senators have proposed changes of one kind or another in the past month.

Only one has been acted upon, and it probably will be the only one this judging from past performances.

Since 1789 there have been only 21 amendments to the Constitution although 26 were proposed to the states by Congress.

Of all the proposals made this year, only this has been acted upon: To limit the president to two terms.

The House approved. But before it can become part of the Constitution, two-thirds of the Senate and 36 of the 48 states must also approve.

Some of the other proposals in the past months were for:

Equal rights for women, a 25 per cent limit on all income taxes, four-year terms for members of the House, abolishing the poll tax.

Here's some history to show why it's hard to change the Constitution: After the Revolutionary war the republic was in danger of falling apart because the states were so loosely held together.

So all the states sent delegates to Philadelphia in 1787 to do something about it.

They worked for months and drew up a Constitution. Its purpose: To let the states have plenty of freedom but keep a strong central government.

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2. But final approval must always come from the states.

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1. Congress can propose a Constitutional amendment by a two-thirds vote of both House and Senate.

2. Or the legislatures of two-thirds of the states ask Congress to call a Constitutional convention to propose changes.

So far the states have never done this.

So much for the way changes are proposed. Here's how they must be approved:

1. By three-fourths of the state legislatures, now 36 of 48.

2. Or by delegates elected by the voters to special state Constitutional conventions in three-fourths of the states.

(Congress decides whether the approving shall be done by legislatures or state conventions.)

Of the 21 amendments to the Constitution, the first 20 were approved by state legislatures.

The 21st amendment—which repealed the 18th (prohibition) amendment—was okayed by state conventions.

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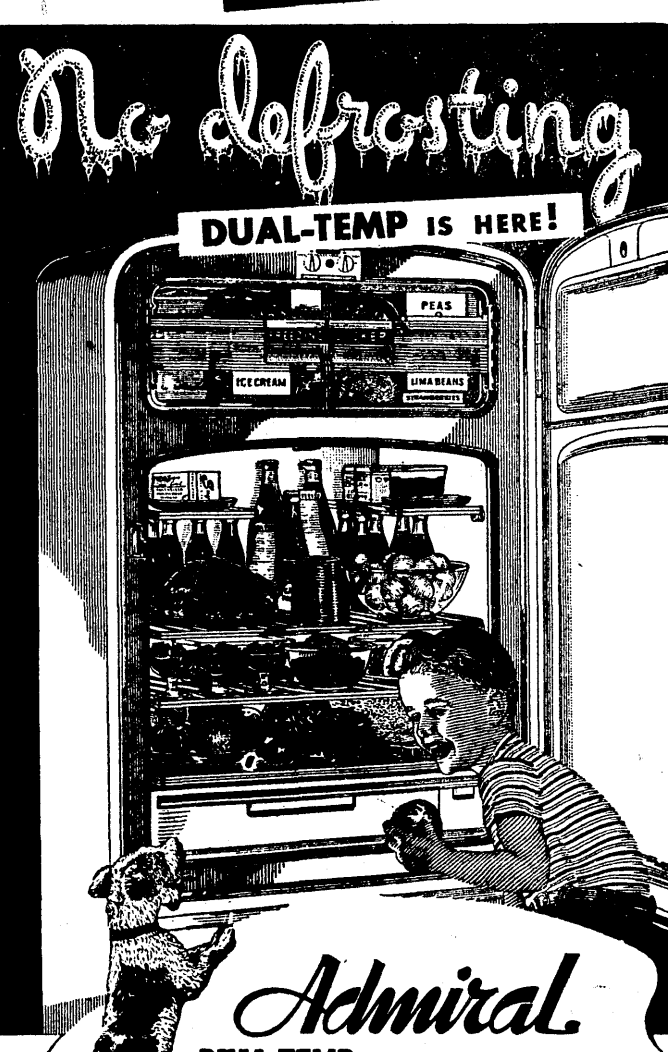
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COURT OF HONOR AWARDS MADE

Boy Scout Troop 26 Wins Attendance Trophy; New Ranks Assigned

Troop 26, sponsored by the Church of the Nazarene, won the Court of Honor attendance award at the Central District meeting Friday night, at the Central Grammar school. R. H. Thornhill is scoutmaster of the winning troop. Troop 10, sponsored by the Lions Club of West Monroe, also had a large delegation present, and placed second in the contest. Oliver W. Boyd is scoutmaster of troop 10.

Advancement Chairman Judge Jesse S. Heard presided over the meeting, which in addition to presenting a large number of awards, also featured the showing of two films provided by Capt. J. W. Faler of the Monroe Fire Department, Floyd D. Huddleston, Scout executive, stated.

Awards presented, Mr. Huddleston said, are as follows: Tenderfoot: Penny Willis, troop 10; Bobby Williams, troop 10; Norman McRae, troop 32.

Second class: Joseph Mansour, troop 1; Lloyd Bacon, troop 10; Ronald Fox, troop 10; Thomas Fields, troop 10; Claude Hobgood, troop 10; Robert Minnear, troop 10; Alton Edney, troop 10; Robert Earl Smith, troop 28; Palmer Huey, troop 28; John Ensinger, troop 28; Raymond Wilenzick, troop 28; Will Johnson, troop 28; Robert Bass, troop 28, and F. O. Moore, troop 30.

First class: Billy White, troop 32, and Robert Currey, troop 67.

Star Scout: Lupe Gonzales, troop 1; H. V. Shaw, troop 26; Charles Wood, troop 26; Jerry Garner, troop 30; John Birdsong, troop 31; John Robert Thompson, troop 31, Jimmy Chate, troop 31.

Life Scout: Edward Parmer, troop 26, and Jack Parmer, troop 26.

Eagle with Bronze Palm: J. D. Cameron, troop 1.

Eagle with Gold Palm: Edward Brown, troop 32.

Den Chief's Warrant: Guy Dupriest, troop 32; John Love, troop 32, and Max Dillingham, troop 32.

One year attendance pins: O. L. Hoskins, troop 26; Edward Parmer, troop 26; Jack Parmer, troop 26, and Tom D. Wafer, Jr., troop 67.

Merit Badges: Edward Parmer, troop 26; Jack Parmer, troop 26; John Pope, troop 26; Barney Roe, troop 26; H. V. Shaw, troop 26; Jack Simmons, troop 26; Bennie Cowan, troop 30; Glen Flemming, troop 30; Jerry Garner, troop 30; Quinton Vancleave, troop 30; John Robert Thompson, troop 31; John Love, troop 32; Kermit Bearden, troop 67, and Robert Currey, troop 67.

Scouters who assisted Judge Heard were: J. W. Webster, district chairman, and A. H. Jones, W. W. Stevens, Floyd Stove, R. H. Thornhill, Oliver W. Boyd, Floyd Ferrington, J. B. Eaton, Floyd D. Huddleston, Sam L. Hartman, and John D. Spaulding.

VISITING TEACHER MEET HELD HERE

The monthly meeting of the Fifth District Visiting Teachers took place February 11, 1941, in the office of Miss Gladys Gray.

Walter Hohmann, president called the meeting to order and the minutes of the last meeting were read by J. A. McBride. These were approved by the group.

Mr. Hohmann, discussed the question of card placement in the census files. Notation of cards was stressed also.

The executive group of the visiting organization met in Alexandria, February 8. Mrs. Lucille Woodruff, Mr. Kermit Walters and Mr. Walter Hohmann were present at this meeting from this district. Again it was stressed that if at all possible members attend the L. S. U. summer school course.

The meeting adjourned.

TRAFFIC FINES' TOTAL TOO BIG, SAYS CHIEF

The total of \$163.50 collected in fines in city court Friday for traffic law violations brought an expression of regret from Chief of Police J. D. Busby. He noted that a large percentage of the offenses involved inadequate mufflers and failure to halt for red lights, which carry penalties of \$5 each.

"We have repeatedly warned that all motor vehicles must be equipped with the types of mufflers with which they left the factory and that the devices must be in good working order," said the chief. "Also we have called attention time and again to the fact that right turns on red lights no longer are legal at any street intersection in Monroe."

"We would much prefer to have general observance of the traffic laws so that issuing of tickets would be unnecessary, but safety demands enforcement of the regulations and, if drivers will not heed our requests, we will have to keep on bringing them into court."



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EAGER YOUNG CUB PACK



Shown above (left to right) in this picture taken expressly for Boy Scout Week, are the following: (Back Row) Dickie Seiler, Bobby LaCaze, Frankie Webb, Wayne Causey, Ralph Haynes. (Front Row) Benny Berry, Wilmer Lawson, Ben Tucker. (Seated) Lloyd Jolly, Tommie McBride. This Den No. 3, Pack No. 32 has for Den Mother, Mrs. Reginald Seiler.

Boyle's Notebook

By Hal Boyle
NEW YORK, Feb. 15. — (AP) — The champion all-American woman of today is the kitten at the typewriter keys—the stenographer.

She is the keystone of American business and also American culture.

Taken individually and as a class, she is the go-gettingest female since Cleopatra won her man and lost her empire. She is the twentieth century descendant of Horatio Alger's poor but proud bootblack—but this little lady gets ahead by pluck, not luck. She can't save the banker's daughter from a runaway horse. The horses all run on tracks now.

An ordinary stenographer gets about \$40 a week in Manhattan. She's in the same wage bracket as a street-cleaner. A smart girl gets herself classified as a private secretary, and that boosts her to \$60 or more.

The biggest mystery of money is how she manages to stretch it so far. Most stenographers fight their way home on subway or bus, stopping off at the grocer's for the things they need for their evening meal. They usually cook it themselves.

That would be a full day for an average person. But the stenographer whips around tidying up the place before she steps out for the evening. As often as not it is to a concert, play or lecture as to a movie or dance. And before she hits the sack that night she has to do her personal laundry.

As a class she displays a great yearning for improvement. She joins book clubs, takes lessons in personal charm schools, learns to ski in winter and takes boat cruises in summer. And somehow or other she has enough socked away to make a down payment on a fur coat.

How do they do it?

Some housewives get clothes-sloppy after marriage. The stenographer keeps trim and chic always. She is much neater and better-dressed than her feminine counterpart in France, supposedly the home of style. In America it takes a wise man to tell any difference between a stenographer

and society deb on the street. The steno probably has better manners.

Stenographers and secretaries are also the unheralded diplomats of business. They take a lot of guff, but they keep down the personal frictions between their bosses and the rest of the world.

If the boss sometimes marries his stenographer, it likely isn't because she has been working overtime sitting on his lap. He has just got around to seeing the advantages of having a wife, mother, nurse and smart business partner rolled into one highly personable bundle. And, of course, he won't have to pay her a salary any more.

What would happen if every stenographer in America took to her bed and decided to stay there one month? Trade would become chaos. The cosmetics industry, lunch store counters, lecture bureaus, travel agencies, and the entertainment world—all would be swimming in red ink.

No bills would go out—if that bad?—because there would be no one to "take a letter."

That's how dependent the modern world is on the young lady whom the boss often tosses off with the light phrase: "My girl will take care of that."

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NURSES STAFF MEETING HELD

Maternal Consultant Addresses Group On Obstetrics

An interesting staff education meeting was held in the Ouachita Parish Health Unit when nurses from many parishes shared with Miss Madeline Phaneuf, maternal and newborn hospital nursing consultant, on the "RH Factor" and "Newer Trends in Obstetrics."

Miss Phaneuf mentioned that there are many characteristics of the red blood cells. We are all familiar with those characteristics which determine the four blood groups; namely, O, A, B and AB. These groups are important when transfusion is contemplated. It is necessary that the blood of the donor belong to the same group as the blood of the recipient because the agglutinins which can destroy cells of another group are inherited and exist in the recipient's blood.

It is in this regard that the RH factor differs from the A and B factors. The anti-RH agglutinin which can act upon RH positive cells is not inherited and does not exist preformed in the patient but is acquired by active or passive immunization. The

second condition in which the RH factor plays an important role is in connection with pregnancy. The mother is RH negative. The child is RH positive, having inherited this factor from the father. Blood of the child gets into the circulation of the mother and sensitizes her. If then such a woman requires transfusion and is given RH positive blood a reaction may occur.

Miss Phaneuf also considered the significance of weight, blood pressure, urinalysis and temperature in prenatal cases. The program was interestingly presented, very timely and worthwhile.

Miss Anna Tatman served as chairman and greatly contributed toward making the day a success.

On the following day Miss Phaneuf visited many of the hospitals.

Those present: Louise Anderson, Winn; F. B. Cottingham, Caldwell; T. Applewhite, Franklin; B. Richmond, Franklin; A. Rogers, Ouachita; P. Tarver, Ouachita; E. Trapp, Ouachita; A. Hudson, Ouachita; A. Jones, Ouachita; O. Gossett, Catahoula; J. Moore, Lincoln; H. Foster, Morehouse; L. Watkins, Morehouse; A. Tatman, E. Carroll; B. Maxey, Union; E. Stone, Jackson; E. Laurent, Northern Region; J. Bottom, Department of Public Welfare; Miss Brice, Department of Public Welfare; A. Flinch, Department of Public Welfare; O. Willis, Ouachita; L. Guidry, Northern Region; M. Phaneuf, Maternal and Newborn Hospital consultant, State Department of Health, New Orleans.

If concrete is kept moist it will continue to get harder for many years.

DRUM CLINIC IS SLATED IN TECH

Bandmasters Also Will Be Instructed By Phil Grant

RUSTON, La., Feb. 15.—(Special)—Phil Grant, nationally known percussion expert, will conduct a "drum clinic" for college and North Louisiana high school students, Thursday, February 20, at Louisiana Tech, L. V. E. Irvine, head of the college music department, announced.

Following the "drum clinic," which will begin at 2 p.m., Grant will conduct a clinic for bandmasters at 3 p.m.

College and high school drummers and bandmasters in this area are being invited to attend the clinics.

Grant has played drums professionally with dance bands, and he has been a snare drum, tympani and xylophone specialist with Goldman's concert band, Pittsburgh Symphony and Radio City music hall.

His demonstrations at Tech will include swing band and military techniques, and he will give pointers to students and amateurs on how to obtain various effects without special equipment. Following these demonstrations, he will conduct an open forum on methods of teaching and playing.

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First Chicken Home

The first chicken of the C. I. O. "compromise" with its Communist element seems to have come home to roost in Bridgeport, Conn.

There a local of the United Electric, Radio and Machine Workers has had its charter revoked by the general executive board. The charge: expelling 27 members on charges of communism.

It may be remembered that this "compromise" settlement came about at the national C. I. O. convention last fall, after the internal fight over communism had threatened to bust wide open. President Murray commissioned a group of C. I. O. executives, evenly divided between right- and left-wingers, to draft a resolution. Their resolution stated that C. I. O. members "resent and reject" communistic interference in union affairs.

Mr. Murray evidently thought that this mild dose of reproof would be palatable to both sides, yet strong enough to keep any symptoms of serious discord from showing. That may yet prove to be the case. But if this present situation in Bridgeport foreshadows coming events, it will take more than resentment and rejection to scare the Communists away from where they aren't wanted.

The U. E. R. M. W. is and has been for some time a union of notoriously left-wing leadership. Many of its members do not share the leadership's political views. There is a group within the union which is trying to oust the national officers because of their alleged communistic leanings. Thus far the group claims less than a tenth of the national membership. Its efforts at the last U. E. R. M. W. convention got nowhere.

The Bridgeport local elected a panel of anti-Communist officers in December. Early this month the executive board refused to seat a woman who had run for office in November on the Communist ticket. The membership upheld the board's action. A few days later the board expelled the 27 members for communistic activity.

In revoking the local's charter the national executive board ignored the convention's recent and recent resolution. It ignored the local's authorization of its board to oust members who also held membership in the Communist party, the Ku Klux Klan, Columbians, or any other subversive groups.

Instead, the board cited the national and local constitutions which forbid discrimination against members because of nationality, race, religion or political belief. Undoubtedly the board was entirely correct according to the letter. Constitutional guarantees are stronger than resolutions.

The national board's action seems less correct from the standpoint of justice and democracy. It has surely aided, comforted and promoted communism within the C. I. O. It has obviously ignored the freely expressed wishes and democratic action of the local union.

It will be surprising if the Bridgeport local's experience is not repeated in other C. I. O. unions. For the bland resentment and rejection is only an amber traffic light through which Communists may run with impunity.

'DEPRESSION' RENTS

Throughout the country today there is heard the appeals of landlords and apartment-house owners for relief from "depression level" rents. Their appeals have reached Congress and resulted in a demand that rent controls be ended February 1.

No doubt there are many cases in which relief is justifiable. But we wonder if when the rates were set which now determine the ceiling, most owners did not give some thought to the possibility of occasional vacancies in their properties, and of a substantial outlay for upkeep.

During the war and thus far in the postwar era, most owners of livable rental property have had 100 per cent occupancy of their dwelling units. Shortage of material and labor and the eagerness of house hunters to get a dwelling in almost any condition have excused landlords from providing the customary amount of redecoration, repair and improvement.

These compensations should be considered against higher costs in any discussion of scrapping rent control. Housing is the second biggest item in most householders' budgets. There is no substitution or doing without, as in the case of food.

The lush days are over now, but the danger of inflation remains. We hope Congress will not add to that danger by hasty, ill-advised action on rents.

VALUABLE SERVICE

An attack by Senator McKellar on the U. S. Weather Bureau, charging failure to correctly forecast changes, brings up a subject often discussed in various circles. It is a common contention the weather is likely to be the opposite of that predicted in advance. Frequently this may be true, because of unusual meteorological conditions which could not be anticipated. But weather bureau statistics show forecasts are as accurate as it is possible to make them.

The discussion has brought out a fact not too well known. The business of the weather bureau is not to tell the average citizen how hot or how cold it is to be tomorrow, or when rain may be expected. While this is a day-by-day routine, the real job is to give warnings of severe changes which, unless known in advance, would bring loss to livestock interests or fruit growers.

Citrus growers in Florida saved millions on one recent occasion because they were able to take precautions against a predicted drop in temperature. The weather bureau is a valuable department of the government even if it is not infallible.

Bakers have been given OPA permission to restore loaves to normal size, which makes the butter situation even more critical.

Jimmie Fidler IN HOLLYWOOD

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 15.—The Jack LaRue, divorced several weeks ago in Reno, has reconciled and will be married to Bobby Soxers are now seeking cartridges from Frank Sinatra's police-permitted pistol as souvenirs! Ex-Mayor La Guardia of New York will summer vacation in Hollywood, as house guest of a studio "Mr. Big."

Agnes Moorehead has written her memoirs; Little, Brown and Company will publish them in the fall.

Humphrey Bogart and George Brent, who've entered their respective yachts in next summer's California to Honolulu race, are posting heavy side bets. Look for Alan Ladd to take the star of a weekly detective serial.

Andy Devine will replace Gabby Hayes as Roy Rogers' comedy sidekick; Hayes considers eight pictures a year too many. Virginia O'Brien settled out of court (\$1,000 it's said) with that hatched gal who was about to sue following their nightclub altercation. Dancer Lee Dix is trying to reconcile with his estranged missus.

"Uncle Remus," now on the screen as "Song of the South" will soon be heard weekly via radio. Time-out for Maria Koshetz ("No Leave, No Love"), seriously ill in a local hospital. European censors are cutting all quiet scenes in American films shown there. Now it's song-writer Bing Crosby; his tune, "At Your Command," will be published next month.

Altar-bound in June: Huntz Hall and Bonnie Quillan, a non-professional. A nightclub habitue, not yet caught up with, is posing as a son of the late Marie Dressler, who had no children.

Preview nights: Pic of the week: Allied Artists' "It Happened on Fifth Avenue" (Don DeFore-Ann Harding-Charles Ruggles). The kind of entertainment that every fan wants to see "happened" in his favorite theater. Recommended: Republic's "The Angel and The Badman" (John Wayne-Gail Russell-Harry Carey). A super-western that follows new story trails to hit history. Universal-International's "Smash Up—The Story of a Woman" (Susan Hayward-Lee Bowman-Marsha Hunt-Eddie Albert). A former version of "Last Week-End," a potent drama for adults, but leave the kiddies at home. Good: Paramount's "Easy Come, Easy Go" (Barry Fitzgerald-Diana Lynn-Sonny Tufts). Rich in whimsical humor, but short on plot. So-So: 20th Century-Fox's "The Brasher Doubloon" (George Montgomery-Nancy Guild). Murder mystery that will inspire more

yawns than thrills. Best Performance: Victor Moore in "It Happened on Fifth Avenue."

During Olivia de Havilland's recent visit to San Francisco, she was called upon by a fan club representative who requested her to give the members of his organization a half-hour of her time the following day. At the appointed hour, Olivia found 200 youngsters waiting in an orderly line. There was a table and chair placed for her convenience in signing autographs. It was a far cry from the "mob scenes" so many stars have been screaming about—and it indicated, to me, that stars who are willing to greet their fans with dignity and graciousness will probably be met, by the kids, with respect rather than rowdiness.

A coast-to-coast subway that would make it possible to travel between New York and Los Angeles in a single hour is now being predicted by an eastern scientist. Well, I'm not economist enough to appreciate, off-hand, the full commercial importance of such a transportation system—but study's not needed to realize its certain appeal to the ever-increasing number of stars who are legally wed in eastern states while unable to live together lawfully in California. Think what it would mean, for instance, to Leo Durocher and Laraine Day.

Speaking of such matters, California citizens, thoroughly irked by Hollywood marriage scandals, have made it clear that they are not in favor of relaxing the state's divorce laws. In a survey conducted by the California Poll, the people have demanded by a three-to-one majority that California legislators make it even harder to get a divorce than it is now. I hope the solons will heed this expression of public opinion. And why the Sam Hill doesn't the federal Congress take some step to bring about a unification of divorce law in all parts of the nation?

One Eugene Lyons, acclaimed by newspapers as an authority on Communistic activity in America, came to the front last week with a novel explanation for the fact that many big-name screen stars are Red in their private lives. He said that they're probably suffering from a sense of guilt induced by being so well off in a world filled with misery. I don't think Mr. Lyons has ever known many actors. With say, \$5,000 a week, they're more apt to feel abused than well-off. (Distributed by McNaught Syndicate, Inc.)

IN WASHINGTON

By Peter Edson

(NEA Washington Correspondent)
WASHINGTON (NEA)—Antics of the Republican elephant in the halls of Congress so far this year reveal it is still a cumbersome animal, full of the same old tricks.

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investigate the war effort is organized, its new chairman, Republican Sen. Owen Brewster of Maine, announces his program will be to investigate past scandals. It is a line of policy that seems more interested in showing what a bad record the Democrats made than in showing what a good record the Republicans can make.

In their approach to the labor problem, the Republicans seem similarly motivated. Most of the labor reform bills thus far introduced look backward. They would restore conditions that existed after World War I. The world never has moved backward, and it's a fair bet it won't shift into reverse now.

To bring down the high cost of living, present congressional contribution to the problem is an inclination to allow rents to go up.

As a further contribution to higher prices, the Republican approach to the tariff problem has been strictly out of the era of Fordney and McCumber. The fact that high tariff walls helped bring on the last world-wide depression seems entirely forgotten.

Needed: Eyes To The Future
Republicans oppose the forthcoming International Trade Organization meetings. They do not realize there must be expanding world trade if there is to be continuing U. S. prosperity. The fact that there must be bipartisan international economic policy as well as nonpartisan foreign policy has not registered.

If all the foregoing sounds like partisan distribe, it is not. Hand in hand with the Republicans on many of these backward-looking programs are a number of still more backward-looking riders of the obsolete, Democratic donkey. Everything goes double for them.

Contrariwise, for the handful of Republicans who have bucked the rear-viewing party leadership, there should be a double commendation. The healthiest thing that could happen in Washington today would be a sound, progressive Republican uprising—freed of all New Deal crackpot visions—but with its eyes fixed squarely on the future and not on the past.

OUR CHILDREN

When people speak about modern education I scarcely know what they mean. There are so many interpretations of education today, so many voices raised in its defense against so much opposition. For me the education that best fits a given child for life in his field is modern education, no matter what the books say.

And I still believe that the best guide for a mother or a teacher in the task of educating a child is that child himself. The books, the authorities, can only give us general rules, good in themselves, but always to be modified in relation to the particular child in question.

Most of the children in a class will go along well enough with the teacher but there will be a few who will group themselves apart as beyond or below, at odds with or in leadership of the group as a whole. It is this regrouping of children dictated by nature herself, that compels the teacher and the parent to reconsider the course laid down in relation to these children.

The first reaction of teacher and mother is likely to be one of annoyance. They ask with a hint of impatience, "What's the matter with this child?" Immediately there is something the matter with him because he does not classify easily but stands out as an odd one. Better go gently now. This odd child is likely to be and remain odd and it is our duty to bend the course to meet his requirement rather than bend him to the course,

something that can rarely be done with success.

This is what I mean by modern education, the development of this child, the one child, and that in the end must mean every individual child to the best that is in him.

We may as well agree at once that these odd ones are outside the usual courses of study. Modern education then supplies the conditions, the teachers and the equipment and the place for the education of this child. It might be that the course as set is not the answer for every child. After all who made it? Well, God made the child and what He does we must accept and go on from there. And teach him according to his needs.

If the child is feeble-minded (and don't say he is until at least three experienced teachers and the medical specialist has decided he is) a special class and teachers must be provided for him. If he is intelligent and many, many of these unclassifiable children are intelligent—then we must adjust the courses, meet the child where he is and help him forward from there onward. This careful adjustment of the school machinery to the needs of the individual child is, in my creed, modern education, and it can be, and often is, very old-fashioned indeed.

Does your child measure up to the standards set for him in these days? Angelo Patri has a "Self Measuring

BELIEVE IT OR NOT



JOHNNY MERCER WHO WROTE SUCH TUNES - AS "I LOVE YOU," "AND THE ANGELS SING," "COULD BE," "YOU MUST'VE BEEN A BEAUTIFUL BABY," "LAZY BONES," "TANGIERINE," ETC., CAN'T READ A NOTE OF MUSIC!

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EXPLANATION OF YESTERDAY'S CARTOON

ALL ITEMS SELF-EXPLANATORY

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Shops, such as vegetable stands or magazine stalls, and blocked off above that level.

"We pay five cents a pound and up for Irish potatoes, retail. That comes to something like three dollars a bushel. It annoys us, therefore, when we read that our wise government has ordered the farmers to destroy 20 million bushels of potatoes."

Sixty million dollars worth, or more, of good food, deliberately destroyed by ukase of the all-wise agriculturists of Washington.

This is reminiscent of the slaughter of the millions of little pigs by the wise Mr. Wallace. Those little pigs have come back to plague us in the form of pork shortages and famines many a time.

I wonder why we couldn't have those potatoes at two dollars a bushel, rather than dump them. Or, if the planned economy must put food prices up for us, couldn't the wise men of the Pentagon buy the potatoes at a nominal price and distribute them to hospitals, veterans' homes and all manner of public institutions?

There are a lot of people in New York today, and in other places I have no doubt, for whom a steaming dish of potatoes au gratin, French fried or plain boiled would be a fine treat. (Released by McNaught Syndicate, Inc.)

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Pitching Horseshoes

By Billy Rose

About ten days ago, Bob Hannegan, head mailman and chairman of the Democrat national committee, made a speech suggesting Mr. Truman as his party's candidate

for the 1948 election. Bob said some pretty fine things about his boss. He referred to him as a "great man," and said the nation "is on the way to peace and prosperity" because of his "sound leadership, courage and foresight."

Bob was always one for understatement. He might have told us that Truman invented electricity, ghosted Beethoven's Fifth Symphony, and had once run the mile in four minutes. But with admirable restraint, he didn't.

I think Bob ought to let himself go more. Underplaying may be good in an English movie, but it doesn't win elections. Here's a little story about an understatement, and how it got a couple of people in trouble.

Drexel Hughes took unto himself a wife. Her name was Hazel, and her mother boasted she could sew the straightest seam in town.

Now, Drexel was not one of those young sports you see high-tailing through town on a motorcycle, squirrel tails hanging from the handlebars and a fast young biddy clinging to the back saddle. No, sir. He was the kind of fellow of whom his teachers, about his prowess about Drexel.

The alliance of this fine young couple was as logical as a plate of cold mutton and a glass of port. And just as gay Mr. Flood, the prinkiest man in town, sent the pair a pup with fleas, so "there'd be something lively around the house."

The night before the marriage, Drexel attended a bachelor party. Real beer was served.

Hazel selected the hotel for their honeymoon. It was the joyous name of Chippendale Manor. It specialized in rocking chairs and guests who had sat for family portraits.

Drexel gave Hazel a little lecture when they got on the train after the ceremony.

"It's important," he told her, "for no one to know we were just married. Otherwise we shall be subjected to the giggling of idiots and their vulgar jokes."

"You're so right," agreed Hazel. When they got to Chippendale Manor, Hazel cleverly carried in one of the bags. The rocking-chair set didn't give them a second glance. The desk clerk didn't even smile behind his hand when our hero signed the register, "Drexel Hughes and Wife."

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Radio Programs

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16
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All times P. M. eastern standard. To change to central standard subtract one hour. To change to mountain standard subtract two hours. Times listed are those supplied by networks. Day times by local stations, may vary in some instances.

1:00—America, United, & Forum—nbc
The People's Forum, a Forum—nbc
Johnny Thompson & His Songs—nbc
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1:15—U. of Chicago Roundtable—nbc
About Radio, by Lynmar Elyson—nbc
Sammy Kaye & His Serenades—nbc
Juvenile Jive, a Youth Forum—nbc
1:45—Howard K. Smith Overseas—nbc
L. L. Jones, Anti-Crime Play—nbc
2:00—Robert Merrill & Concert—nbc
Weekly Broadcasting for News—nbc
Warriors of Peace, Army Show—nbc
L. L. Jones, Anti-Crime Play—nbc
2:15—Canaries are Singing—nbc-basie
2:30—Star Concert and Melton—nbc
Katie and the Shadow—nbc
National Vespers via Radio—nbc
2:45—The Panel Discussion—nbc
3:00—Parade of Music, Comment—nbc
New York Philharmonic Orchest—nbc
Dr. Daniel, Dramatic Mystery—nbc
L. L. Jones, Anti-Crime Play—nbc
3:30—One Man's Family, Drama—nbc
Present from Hollywood Plays—nbc
Crimes of Carelessness, Drama—nbc
3:45—Sam Pettengill's Comment—nbc
4:00—Quiz Kids and Joe Kelly—nbc
The House of Mystery Drama—nbc
4:30—Chicago Patterns in Melody—nbc
Bill Spaulding with His Gang—nbc
The Green Hornet in Mystery—nbc
Detective Mysteries via Radio—nbc
4:45—The Shadow, Mystery—nbc
Family Time & Rise Stevens—nbc
Quiz Time in the Afternoon—nbc
5:00—The Shadow, Mystery—nbc
5:30—Hoagy Carmichael & Songs—nbc
David Harding, the Counterspy—nbc
5:45—Bill Shirer & Commentary—nbc
6:00—The Catholic Radio Service—nbc
Ozark & Harriette, Comedy—nbc
The Drew Pearson Commentary—nbc
Those Websters, Family Drama—nbc
6:15—Vets Summary for 15 Mins—nbc
6:30—Bob Burns, Comedy Show—nbc
Kate Smith Singing on Sunday—nbc
Greatest Story Ever Told—nbc
6:45—Detective Drama—nbc
7:00—The Jack Benny Comedy—nbc
Gone With the Wind—nbc
7:15—Mystery, Mystery—nbc

TRUMAN

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Graham informed the newsmen he had advised the president he could return tomorrow to Washington where the president said his presence was required Monday.

Graham said the doctors on the case will use traction to pull the bone into a good position.

The elderly woman's spirits "picked up tremendously" when the president walked into her bedroom, Graham said.

She was in a semi-sitting position in bed.

The usually peppery, active Mrs. Truman was forced to take to her bed when she fell Thursday night at her frame bungalow that overlooks the Truman farm where the president worked as a boy. She fractured her right hip, her third such injury in seven years.

Visibly relieved after visiting his mother immediately after landing at the Grandview Airport on an unheralded flight from Washington in his big C-54, the so-called "Sacred Cow," the president stole away to the nearby "Grandview Cafe."

There, after eating the 70-cent roast beef blue plate with coffee, the president who was accompanied by Brig. Gen. Wallace Graham, personal physician, and U. S. Marshal Fred Canfield, gave reporters a fill-in.

He said Dr. Joseph W. Greene, Truman family physician at Independence, Mo., would hold a consultation at 4:30 p. m. (C. S. T.) to determine whether to set the fracture in view of Mrs. Truman's age.

After shaking hands with a couple of farmers outside the cafe, the president ordered the blue plate from George Belle Kreeger, 17, daughter of the proprietor, "Dutch" Kreeger, who was away fishing. Mrs. Dee Kreeger, his wife, did the cooking.

George didn't want to accept pay for the lunch, but the president insisted on giving her an autographed \$1 bill.

He said he would go into Kansas City to spend the night after the doctors held their consultation. He has quarters at the Hotel Muehlbach hotel penthouse.

To avoid crowds at the airport and any engagements which would interfere with his visit with his mother, the president made the flight without publicity.

Washington reporters were notified in advance of the flight and requested to keep it "off the record" until Mr. Truman's arrival here. They complied with the request, flying here in advance of the Sacred Cow.

In keeping with his desire to avoid too much ado reporters were not permitted on the landing field, and were requested not to go to Mrs. Truman's home. Arrangements were made for General Graham to keep in communication with them.

Arriving for his first visit home since Christmas—he previously flew to Grandview in November to help celebrate his mother's 94th birthday anniversary—the president was met at the airport by three close friends, U. S. Marshal Fred Canfield, George K. Wallace, the president's brother-in-law and Major T. J. Guinan, husband of the music coach of his daughter, Margaret.

Mrs. Truman was well enough this morning to eat breakfast, her daughter, Miss Mary Jane Truman, told reporters. The daughter, and the presi-

dent's brother, J. Vivian Truman, were at her bedside.

The president's mother, despite her years, voted the straight Democratic ticket at the Grandview polling place, last November. She drove to Grandview later to welcome the president home. When he left, she gave him her usual admonition, "Be good, Harry."

She always said that Harry, in his days on the farm, could "plow the straightest furrow" of any boy in Missouri.

The president, who never misses an opportunity to visit her, plans to remain here until he is satisfied about her condition.

The penthouse apartment in the Kansas City Muehlbach Hotel, 17 miles from here, has been set up for him to spend the nights.

JES' RAMBLIN'

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New publication just off the press in New York. The labor leaders chosen for the blue book are Ira Cagle, Loop road, member of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America (AFL) and John Henry Tucker, of the International Typographical union (AFL). In all, a total of 5,000 of the leaders of labor in the United States and Canada are listed.

Northwestern State College, Natchitoches, carries a representative number from Ouachita parish who have made the honor roll, making "B" or better in their studies. Those from here so listed are: James C. Bailey, Julia Ellen Cash, Virginia C. Caldwell, Betty L. Farrow, Alice Jones, Mary Lee Jones, Marjorie Shea, and Jean H. Thomas.

E. Jack Selig and Mrs. Selig, formerly of Monroe and where Mr. Selig was one of the best known and most highly regarded DeSard street business men, will come back for a short visit, arriving here Monday. They are now residents of Chicago. Expect Jack will put out that glad hand up and down the street when he meets a multitude of old friends and former associates.

Mrs. Bert Ashton, R. F. D. 3, Winnsboro, is eager to share clothing and some dishes and household goods with those who are really in need. Here's what she writes:

"Dear Jes' Ramblin': Please get in touch with some family that has had hard luck from fire or otherwise and who can use some clothes or household articles. I am leaving and have a few articles to give away. Some things are old, but most of them are new and nice. You must have some one call as I have no way to deliver them and come as soon as you can as I am to leave soon. Bring along a carton as I have some dishes and canned goods. Mrs. Bert Ashton, care of G. C. Johns, R. F. D. 3, Winnsboro, on the Crowline road."

E. W. (Butch) Lockhart wants to have his name added to those who enjoy nicknames. He got his when he was a tough member of the Oklahoma university football team.

Mrs. Edward Farren Hayward has reason to feel a degree of family pride. A recent issue of "World Reporter," Washington, D. C. weekly, carried on its cover page a picture of A. V. Alexander, and an extended story of this man who is recasting the British Empire's defenses in his present capacity as Defense Minister. He happens to be Mrs. Hayward's first cousin. She herself was born in England.

MAN WANTED FOR PASSING WORTHLESS CHECK SEIZED

W. W. Plunk, West Monroe, who has been sought after by police since September 16, 1946, when he failed to appear in court on charges of writing a bad check for \$900, was arrested today by two of Sheriff Coverdale's deputies.

Plunk was first arrested in August at the request of the Memphis police where he posted a \$1000 bond but refused to return without extradition. Governor Davis granted an extradition September 16, 1946 but Plunk failed to appear and forfeited his bond.

Other charges have been added against Plunk since his disappearance.

3 SENATORS

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committee, would influence many of that party who are on the fence. Vandenberg has refused to commit himself publicly but is considered by some of his colleagues as likely to vote for Lillenthal in the end.

If Russell should join in opposition, all of the considerable pressure the Administration is reported ready to bring to bear probably could not save the nominees.

Democratic analysis with a knowledge of senators' general views reported a present margin of three or four votes in favor of confirmation for Lillenthal.

It has been the tacit understanding for some time that the whole commission stands or falls on the Lillenthal vote, since other nominees probably would refuse to serve if he were defeated.

Thus far senators' thinking on the nomination appears to have taken several directions.

In one camp are those who support Lillenthal and what his opponents have called his "New Deal philosophy of government." Publicly, these include such Democratic stalwarts as Senators Hatch of New Mexico, Myers of Pennsylvania, Sparkman of Alabama, McMahon of Connecticut and Ellender. Republican supporters include Senators Morse of Oregon, Aiken and Tobey, all of whom often disagree with party colleagues.

In another camp are both Democrats and Republicans who dislike Lillenthal for various reasons, such as his alleged New Deal or "leftist" leaning, his reputed "disregard for Congress" as some have put it, or because they say no man should head the atomic commission about whom there is so much controversy.

This group includes such Democrats as Senators Overton of Louisiana, O'Daniel of Texas and Stewart of Tennessee. Senator McKellar, Stewart's colleague, is among this group, with his charge that Lillenthal has been an associate of Communists. Lillenthal denies this.

Republicans in the group include Senators Moore of Oklahoma, Wherry, Bridges of New Hampshire, Kern of Missouri, Brooks of Illinois, Brewster of Maine and Bushfield, Senator Taft of Ohio, the GOP Policy committee chairman, is credited by some with sharing their views, but has declined to make public his stand.

The third and by far the largest camp, however, embraces those who have not said publicly which way they will vote, in addition to those who have not made up their minds.

Among these are some who resent President Truman's action in making recess appointments by which the nominees took over actual charge of the nation's atomic plants Jan. 1.

Others say privately they wish the President had not picked such a controversial figure as Lillenthal, but they do not know what can be done about it now.

PRESIDENT

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chase of military supplies by "streamlined" methods, without advertising; "having of better a year men; suggestion of a scrap iron imports; tax-free withdrawal of alcohol from distilleries for industrial use; appointment of an undersecretary of the navy; and certain relaxations of ship manning and operating standards.

Lower dates are pinned to other emergency statutes: Free importation privileges for servicemen, for instance, would end six months after the emergency, as would the right to sell or lease public lands for munitions manufacture. War housing would have to be disposed of within two years.

A large number of laws were written to expire either at the end of the emergency or the war, these, government legal officials hold, should be interpreted as ending with the war instead of the emergency.

The proposed pattern of decontrol for the "emergency" statutes will follow generally that used by the president in his proclamation ending hostilities on Dec. 31. It was reported this wiped out some 53 powers, 20 of them immediately—including the authority to seize strike-bound plants—and 33 others at some later date, like the high excise taxes on furs and amusements which expire June 30. In some cases, like the latter one, Mr. Truman asked Congress to write new legislation replacing the old.

In the case of the "emergency" laws, however, the president may wait for Congress to act before issuing the proclamation.

Government officials said the end of the war could be proclaimed either by the president or by a joint resolution of Congress, signed by the president. They hold that a "concurrent" resolution of Congress, not carrying the chief executive's signature, would probably suffice for most statutes but not all of them.

For most international purposes, the actual signing of a peace treaty would be required.

U. S. ARMY

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all over the jungle. First the Japanese must be located.

Then, if they refuse to surrender, force will be used. Major Haviland suggested that jungle-borne fire-bombs might help and remarked that he knew "a lot of ex-combat fliers who would enjoy a go at them."

Meanwhile, the search is continuing.

South Africa has two capitals, Pretoria for administration and Capetown for legislation.

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DRIVE LEADER



G. M. SNELLINGS, JR.

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needs. For the first time in many years the Ouachita parish chapter failed to meet its quota. Perhaps you were right—it's your Red Cross. It can only do what you want it to do to the extent you support it. This year you must, cannot and will not fail to raise your quota.

"The budgeted quota for your Ouachita parish chapter this year is \$40,000—less than half of what you raised in 1944 and 1945—less even than you raised last year. It must be met. Last year's failure has left your Red Cross in position to end its fiscal year February 28, 1947, with a record balance on hand of 96 cents. Actually there will be a slight deficit.

"The \$40,000 goal is a return to peace-time levels—as against the sixty and seventy thousand-dollar quotas of the war years. It is definitely a minimum need if your Ouachita parish chapter is to be maintained and is to render all needed services. That decision is up to you, since it's your Red Cross. To keep your Red Cross you must again give, and give, generously. Your goal is a minimum. To meet it and raise it you cannot give less than last year—you must give more. In the inevitable course of events, some will give less—you must give more. Do not leave it to the other fellow.

"Your quota last year was cut about one-third against the previous year—but your support was cut in half. The goal deficit was \$14,000. If you want your Red Cross to continue, therefore, remember in your giving that you have already cut your Red Cross contribution in half against your war-time giving. Remember that your own Ouachita parish chapter has an empty treasury—a balance on hand of exactly no dollars. Give a minimum of what you gave last year—and add more to insure the success of meeting your chapter budget. If you rely on the other fellow to add to his last year's gift, while you give just the same, or reduce your giving—then you are sure to fail. If you give what you gave last year, and then give a little more to be sure the goal is met, then and only then can you feel secure in the continuance of Red Cross service in Ouachita parish.

"The success and the accomplishment of your Red Cross do not depend on your chapter chairman—they do not depend on your fund campaign chairman—nor on the volunteer worker who solicits your contributions. They depend on you and the generosity of your giving.

"It's your Red Cross—support it as such."

YEAR'S JAIL

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last fall, was deferred until next Thursday. Judge Dawkins, who received the request of the men's motions for a new trial, said he would pronounce sentence either in federal court here or at Shreveport, where he will be on the bench several days this week.

Ima Wilson Cross, 30, of Chicago, charged with the theft of mail from home boxes on Broad Street last fall, asked for a trial and a plea of not guilty was entered for her. The case was set for the April term of court and she was remanded to jail.

Leonard Arthur Smith, 28, charged with violation of the Dyer act in bringing a stolen car from Jackson, Miss., to Monroe, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to a term of five years in a federal reformatory. His record showed him to be a deserter from the army.

Merrill L. Zeckser, 26, and James Edmondson, 19, colored, who were arrested by state police here on January 31 with cars stolen in other states, waived indictment and pleaded guilty. They were sent back to jail to await preliminary investigation by Probation Officer Drexel H. Martin.

Annie Redford, Negro, charged with failing to register for military service when he became 18 years of age last year, appeared not to understand when he was offered an opportunity to waive indictment and enter a plea, and was remanded to jail.

STATE TROOPERS REPORT 8 ARRESTS DURING WEEK

Eight arrests, three on charges of driving automobiles while under the influence of intoxicants, were made by members of Troop F, Louisiana state police, in this area the past week.

The arrests included one for driving without brakes, one for reckless driving and causing personal injury, one for reckless driving, one for theft, and one for speeding.

Taken into custody on drunk driving charges were G. N. Reegies, 27, Epps; Edward M. Wilson Jr., 21, route 4, Rayville; and T. M. Hawkins, 36, Monroe.

A 71-year-old man, Theodore S. Horner, Oak Grove, was charged with careless and reckless driving and causing personal injury; and a 42-year-old man, Lewis Oliver McClure, key route 3, Plainview, Tex., was charged with reckless driving.

Three Negroes were among those arrested. Robert Willis, 20, Ruston, was arrested on a theft charge; James Lewis, 21, Linville, was charged with speeding; and Jake Jordan, 44, route 4, Winnsboro, was accused of operating a motor vehicle without brakes.

SENATE

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year starting July 1 which the committee voted.

Vandenberg, chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations committee, told a reporter he fears a projected \$1,750,000,000 reduction in army and navy funds may upset American prestige in troubled international affairs.

"I shall vote for the maximum economy which is not at the expense of American prestige, authority and safety in an uneasy world," he declared.

"But I shall never vote to disarm alone and I fear this is the result of the pending budget recommendations. I await the facts."

Vandenberg's action in apparently lining up behind a proposed compromise cut of \$550,000,000 may have widespread effect in the Senate.

Chairman Bridges (R-NH) of the Senate Appropriations committee told a reporter he expects to bring the \$6,000,000,000 reduction proposal before the Senate for debate Wednesday. He conceded it probably faces defeat.

It may be considered the same day in the House, where proponents say they are confident the \$6,000,000,000 cut will be approved.

Chairman Millikan (R-Colo) of the Senate Finance committee, who sponsored the \$4,500,000,000 reduction, predicted the Senate will approve it. This would throw the matter into conference between representatives of the two chambers for compromise.

Millikan noted that seven Republican senators voted for the \$4,500,000,000 proposal in the Senate-House Budget committee Saturday.

With these, Vandenberg and some others who have indicated they oppose any substantial trimming of army-navy funds, strong Republican support seems assured, Millikan said.

Chairman Taft of the Senate GOP Policy committee will meet Monday to sound out sentiment on the budget question and later a meeting of all the Republican senators may discuss it.

These conferences seldom bring any binding agreement, however, and Republican senators usually are left free to vote their individual convictions.

Taft told reporters he had raised the question whether the \$6,000,000,000 cut goes too deeply into military funds.

It was reported to contemplate shaving \$1,000,000,000 off navy funds, \$750,000,000 off the navy's allotment, and \$500,000,000 of the civil functions of the War department.

The \$4,500,000,000 over-all slash would leave most of these funds virtually intact.

MOLOTOV

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the United States should be informed" of the protest.

The text of the broadcast as recorded here by the Soviet monitor: "On Feb. 10, 1947, when the Senate of the U. S. A. examined the question of the appointment of Mr. Lillenthal for the post of chairman of the atomic energy commission, Soviet-Moscow took the liberty of asking: 'Don't you think Russia would have seized the rest of Europe and of the world if she had had bombs?'

"In reply to that rude attack by Senator McKellar against the Soviet Union, Vice-Secretary of State Mr. Acheson declared: 'Russia's foreign policy is aggressive and expansionist.'"

"The report on this session of the Senate, including the above mentioned statement of Mr. Acheson was published on Feb. 11 in several American newspapers, including the Washington Post, the New York Herald-Tribune and others, as well as by the United Press agency."

"On Feb. 14, the minister of foreign affairs of the U. S. S. R., V. M. Molotov, delivered a note to the ambassador of the U. S. A. in Moscow, Gen. Bedell Smith, stating that the Soviet government draws the attention of the United States government to the inadmissible behavior of Mr. Acheson—who despite his official position—allowed himself to make at the Senate a declaration which was a gross slander and hostile to the Soviet Union."

"The note contains also a request on the part of the Soviet government that the government of the United States should be informed of the above."

ANTI-TRUST

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private monopoly groups, so that business is free to expand."

Berge's division has been under inquiry by the Senate Civil Service committee, inquiring into government personnel policies. His division, now employing 34 persons, had been seeking additional lawyers. Berge said the division is swamped with work.

Chairman Langer (R-ND) was critical of the anti-trust division's work, contending that more jail sentences should be obtained in enforcement of the Sherman Anti-Trust Act.

Berge testified this week at a hearing that the Sherman law violators are sent to jail. Criminal prosecutions under the law usually result in small fines, Berge said.

Courts are even loath to impose the maximum fines of \$2,500 under the law, Berge testified, adding that the department has found that civil actions are the most effective means of breaking up monopolies.

Berge told the committee that few justly won contest business men in anti-trust suits if they knew the convictions would carry jail sentences and expressed belief that the "onus" of an indictment in itself is a very strong deterrent to violations.

BASIC LABOR

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workers than an employer feels are needed).

Mosher contended that under the closed shop, which bars the hiring of non-union workers, "employers are forced to hire and fire in the interest of the union instead of in the interest of full and efficient production."

About 103,000 railroad freight cars built in the United States were sent overseas during World War II for war service.

MARTIN H. SMITH DIES IN ARKANSAS

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Martin Hancock Smith, 56, member of a well known Ouachita parish family, died yesterday morning in a Booneville, Ark., hospital.

Mr. Smith, son of the late A. L. Smith and brother of D. Y. Smith, former state highway commissioner now head of the state department of industrial and public works, had been making his home at Hot Springs, Ark.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock at Davis-Lawhead Funeral Home with the Rev. Ernest Duncan Holloway, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Monroe, officiating. Burial will follow in River-view Burial Park. The body will arrive here early this morning.

Mr. Smith is survived by his mother, Mrs. A. L. Smith, Monroe; two sisters, Mrs. M. S. Dixon and Mrs. H. L. Gregg, Sterling; and a brother, D. Y. Smith, Baton Rouge.

Palbearers will be Jerry Gregg, Bruce Gregg, G. O. Barr, O. A. East-erling, C. D. Oakley, A. L. Smith, Jr., R. L. Davis, Amos Smelser, John Theus, and Jack Rogers.

Mr. Smith was born at Sterling and lived many years in Monroe, but had made his home at Hot Springs for the past fifteen years. His death occurred at 4 o'clock yesterday morning.

BRITISH

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sands of workers made idle by the shutdown, declared "it must never happen again."

"I am confident," he added, "that despite the serious problems we have to overcome, we shall bring the economic and social life of this country to a new level of prosperity."

Industrialists and trade unions in Yorkshire, outside the power blackout area, agreed to voluntary short-time shutdowns to save coal.

Attlee's special "coal cabinet" will meet Tuesday when it is hoped lowering temperatures and improved coal distribution will permit a day to be set free for industrial production to be resumed.

When restrictions are gradually lifted, the current will flow first to the factories in 38 counties, biggest industrial producers in the nation, where all but essential industry has been shut down.

Householders in England, Scotland and Wales who are required under threat of fine and imprisonment to use no electricity during five hours of daytime each day, will be the last to have restrictions lifted.

Sir Guy, in referring to Britain's long-range plight, said "in view of the rising consumption of electricity some form of restriction, though not necessarily the present restriction, will continue indefinitely."

"The government has said repairs and additions to Britain's run-down power generating plants cannot be completed before 1950.

"The government is already working out plans and considering measures they could adopt until new power stations are built and new equipment is provided to meet the demand," Sir Guy said.

"The electric power restriction, he added, has saved a total of 132,770 tons of coal, over a day's normal consumption by power generators. Stocks have risen significantly in London and the southeast industrial area, he reported. He said the government considered a two-week supply was the "rock bottom" for safety.

At least 100 trains, each carrying 450 to 500 tons of coal, were due to leave London tonight and tomorrow. Coal ships poured into the Thames in such numbers that most dock space was filled and plans were made to anchor late arrivals in mid-stream and unload them into barges and lighters to speed their turn-around.

Many army trucks, manned by troops, were rounded up and will be sent to midland coal mines Monday to haul fuel direct to power stations. Five thousand snowplows and bulldozers were at work opening roads and rail lines.

Sir Guy said the position of gas plants, also dependent on coal, "is still very tight and difficult."

The Ministry of Labor reported a steady rise in the number of workmen thrown on to the dole by the blackout. Up to last night 971,000 had applied for unemployment benefits.

FIRE ALARMS

Monroe firemen were actively engaged Saturday afternoon extinguishing six grass fires, two wood fires, and one shed.

The grass fires were at 304 Pershing Drive, 2704 Hayes St., 1410 South Grand St., one five miles out on the White Ferry Road, one two and one-half miles west on Highway 80, and the other in Brownville.

The two wood fires, which were left burning, were at Rochell and Mr. P. railroad, and seven and one-half miles west on highway 80.

Men from truck Three worked from 4:30 p. m. til 5:07 p. m. extinguishing a frame shack and a wash shed owned by K. M. Phillips, located behind the Knot Cafe in Brownville.

Norway lost contact with her Greenland colony in the 15th Century and when the island was rediscovered in 1585 there was no trace of the 300 Scandinavian people who formerly lived there.

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MASS HOLDOUTS BEGIN TO PLAGUE MEXICAN LEAGUE

Max Lanier Fighting 50 Per-
cent Salary Cut; Others
After Increases

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 15.—(P)—Southpaw Max Lanier, who jumped the St. Louis Cardinals last year to play in the Mexican Baseball League, now is a holdout because he has been asked to take a 50 percent cut in salary from the \$14,000 he was reported to have received in 1946.

This was disclosed today as Jorge Pasquel, Mexican League President, said he planned a trip to Cuba on Feb. 19 to try to break up a Max Lanier reported mass holdout of United States, Cuban and Mexican players who played in the Mexican League last year.

A source close to the League's inner council said practically all of Mexico's 120 players in Cuba, four-fifths of the total League, had joined one of four holdout camps. He said the groups were: Cuban players headed by Tomas De La Cruz; the U. S. whites led by Roland Glad and Jim Roy; U. S. Negroes under Lloyd Davenport; and the Mexicans commanded by Roberto Avila.

These groups are trying to get increases on their present contracts with the Mexican League, he said, or in isolated cases are defending against reductions suggested by Pasquel. He said Davenport, for example, was insisting on a 50 percent increase over his \$5,000 salary last season, while Max Lanier is fighting against a \$7,000 cut.

In a recent press statement Pasquel said: "The fact that I have much money has been mistakenly interpreted. That's no reason for giving it away, presenting exaggerated advances to players who instead of playing in accordance with their class come here, sit down with the money in their pockets, and either turn out failures or leave without thanks."

Pasquel first contemplated meeting holdout since he is sure the players will find no other berths this season, the informant said. But at the same time he does not want the League, which financially about broke even last year, to suffer from a late start and unfavorable publicity. Games usually get under way in the third or fourth week of March, but this year the League has not yet issued a schedule.

RECORD CROWD TURNS OUT AT FAIR GROUNDS

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 15.—(P)—Attendance records were smashed at the Fair Grounds here today and hundreds were turned away as summer-like weather and a perfect track drew throngs of Mardi Gras visitors to one of the best days of racing since its revival here in 1915.

Jack S. L., owned by John S. Letelier, broke a three-year span of bad luck to beat out W. G. Helis' Earshot in the \$10,000 mile and sixteenth Leconte Handicap.

Handling his 111-pound impost cleverly, Jack S. L. responded to call and passed out Earshot in the final strides to win by half a head. He ran the mile and sixteenth in 1:45 1/5, the fastest time at the distance for the current meeting.

Jack S. L. has finished second in many Fair Grounds stakes and has won some races during the past three or four years, but this was his biggest stake. He paid \$43.40 for \$2.

Earshot was the favorite and took the command from John Theall's Michigan Kid as they swung into the stretch. Then he allowed Earshot to bear over into the deep going next to the rail and Earshot, ducking over closer, fell in victim to Jack S. L.'s steady rush.

Louis Prima's Republican was third. The betting went to \$471,480, the largest mutuel since 1941. Official attendance was 11,601.

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Sports Trail

With most of their natural food supply covered by unusually deep snow and ice, the birds in many parts of the northern United States and across the border in Canada are hungry and many are dying.

Unable to get at the seeds of flower pods, weeds and other food sources, the birds of city, town and wildland are succumbing to the fierce cold. This is particularly true in northern New England where freezing rains have formed a stout crust over the deep snow and coated the buds of trees and bushes with ice.

In response to an appeal by George J. Stobie, Commissioner of the Department of Inland Fisheries and Game, the people of Maine are rushing to the aid of the birds by establishing feeding stations in backyards, fields and forests.

Table scraps, including bread, cake and cookie crumbs, peanut butter, seeds and scratch grain are bringing the hungry birds flocking to the free lunch counters. Suet is being supplied to trees or posts.

Some stores now are selling a 'bird food mixture' which includes a variety of seeds mixed with melted suet. This food also contains grit.

Grit is essential for, having no teeth, birds must grind their food with the tiny stones found in sand and gravel. Unless the birds can obtain grit they will die.

At the woodland stations, where pheasants, grouse, rabbits and squirrels visit the feeding stations along with the various species of small birds, the shelters are built with exits as well as entrances in order that the diners may escape if attacked by predators.

Such concentrations of birds and animals saved now will provide sport for a later date, and the birds keep down the insect population in gardens.

Tiny Spinner Flicks
With the winter fishing season getting underway in many parts of the country, anglers might be interested in this brief account of a recent fishing trip taken by the writer which includes a little tip that should increase the catch.

Unable to interest the trout of a little lake ponds pond in my worms or live minnows, I attached, between the hook and the line, a tiny nickel plated spinner about the size of a child's finger nail.

As the minnow swam about, the little spinner flopped and flashed and in less than ten minutes I had a 12-inch trout, the first of the day. The experiment was a big success, and of three spinner-equipped lines I took the limit of fat trout in a little over an hour.

Smelly Business Booms
Nathan C. Burbank, of Wilton, Me., is swamped with orders for his animal scents used by trappers.

This unusual business which Burbank started back in 1902 at the age of 16 has grown swiftly and steadily through the years and it's still going up, as orders for his "wonder lures" pour in from mail order houses all over the United States, the Hudson Bay Company, firms in Canada, Alaska and other parts of the world.

Before the war Burbank filled orders for customers in Japan, Italy, Germany, Labrador, South America, Africa, Siberia, India, Romania, China and many other countries. And now that the war is over that business is returning.

Seventeen kinds of scents are turned out at the Burbank plant, among them: fox, wolf, beaver and muskrat. These scents are Burbank's best sellers because the pelts of those fur bearers bring the highest prices.

Burbank, who has never increased his prices in nearly 50 years of business, shows no hesitancy in revealing a trade secret to those who might like to stir up a scent or two.

To bait a trap for a muskrat all one has to do is combine muskrat scent at \$40 an ounce, oil of sweet flag and ordinary honey.

For some scents he uses rotted fish oil from the decayed heads of fishes. The oil takes from a few months to 25 years to age properly. Fox scent is a mixture of fish oil, beaver castor at \$18 a pound, and alcohol.

COMPLETE WEEK'S WORK

STATE COLLEGE, Miss., Feb. 15.—(P)—Approximately sixty-five candidates for the 1947 Mississippi State football squad completed the first week of training practice today.

Monday they will be joined by members of last year's varsity including Capt. Elect W. D. Garrett and Alternate Captain Al Sidorik.

DISTRICT BOXING TOURNAMENT BILLED FOR OAK GROVE

Northeast Louisiana High
School Fighters Meet
March 13 And 14

OAK GROVE, La., Feb. 15.—(Special)—The 1947 Northeast Louisiana Boxing Tournament for high school leathers-punchers of this area will be held here March 13 and 14, it has been announced by D. W. McBride, principal of Oak Grove High School.

A request for official sanction by the Louisiana High School Athletic Association has been made to Association President W. L. Colvin, who, in a personal reply to Principal McBride, said he was "sure the executive committee will approve it at an early date."

Rules and regulations of the state association will govern the conduct of the tournament. The ten official weight classes for high schools, 90, 98, 105, 112, 118, 126, 135, 145, 155, and 165 pounds, will be fought with medals to go to the individual winners in each class. Trophies will be awarded schools scoring the most points in the lightweight division, 90 through 118 pounds, the team scoring most points in the heavyweight division, 126 through 165, and a sweepstakes trophy to the team winning the team district championship by scoring the most points for the tournament.

Entry forms will be mailed immediately to schools signifying their intent to compete, and each entry list should show names of two fighters in each weight, one as an alternate. Entries should be in by March 10. The weighing in of the contestants will take place at noon, March 13, and the pairings will be made at 4 p.m. the same day.

"Hickie" Higginbotham, Louisiana State University, will be in charge of the tournament and he will bring two other L.S.U. athletic figures with him to serve as referee and judges.

Sleeping accommodations will be provided for boxers, coaches and principals if requests are made at the time the entry list is mailed in. Meals will be served on the Oak Grove High School campus at a reasonable cost.

Net proceeds of the tournament will be prorated to participating schools on the basis of qualified contestants from each team.

RECREATION LEAGUE

CITY LEAGUE	Won	Lost	Pct.
Haddad Brothers	13	0	1.000
Exchange Club	10	2	.833
Graves and Cummings	8	5	.615
Howard Brothers	5	7	.417
Red Shield Club	4	8	.333
Unique Cleaners	3	9	.250
American Legion	3	9	.250
Policemen	3	10	.231

Tuesday's Games
(Play at L. T. I. Gym)
American Legion vs. Howard.
Red Shield vs. Exchange Club.

Friday's Games
(Play at N. J. C. Gym)
Policemen vs. Howard.
Red Shield vs. Unique.
Haddad vs. American Legion.
Exchange Club vs. Graves and Cummings.

JUNIOR LEAGUE	Won	Lost	Pct.
Rek Boys	13	4	.765
Baptists (W. Monroe)	12	5	.706
Key Club	9	8	.529
Spatofora's Pharmacy	7	10	.412
Red Shield Club	7	11	.385
L. T. I. Club	4	13	.235

Tomorrow's Games
(Play at O. P. H. S. Gym)
L. T. I. vs. Key Club.
Spatofora vs. Red Shield.
Rek Boys vs. Baptists.

Wednesday's Games
Spatofora vs. L. T. I.
Rek Boys vs. Red Shield.
Key Club vs. Baptists.

Thursday's Games
L. T. I. vs. Red Shield.
Rek Boys vs. Key Club.
Spatofora vs. Baptists.

LEADING SCORERS

City League
Gene Hardin, Haddad, 207.
Thomas Jordan, Policemen, 109.
Cecil Johnson, Exchange, 107.
Ed Gavre, Red Shield, 96.
J. D. Sims, Policemen, 95.
Bob Sawyer, Graves and Cummings, 87.

Gene Roswell, Haddad, 81.
John Kelly, Howard, 78.
Malcolm Stoffe, Haddad, 76.
H. Stewart, Graves and Cummings, 75.

Calvin Thomas, Unique, 69.
Dan Cox, Howard, 68.

Girls' League
Louise White, Southern Bell, 124.
Gloria Crooks, St. Francis, 87.
Onita Applin, Red Shield, 79.
Willie Harper, St. Francis, 71.
Mary Thomas, St. Francis, 54.
Billie Hollis, Guerrero, 52.

Midnet League
Bob Carter, Jeeps, 98.
Harold Bassett, Spatafora, 49.
Eddie Foster, Spatafora, 39.
Charles Page, Jeeps, 34.
Lloyd Troeltsch, Jeeps, 33.
Salvatore Lacara, Spatafora, 33.
Roy Hattaway, L. T. I., 33.

FERRIDAY OPENS SPRING GRID PRACTICE MARCH 3

FERRIDAY, La., Feb. 15.—(Special)—The Ferriday High School Bulldogs will begin spring football training on the local high school field Monday, March 3, it has been announced by Coach Charles Loomis of the local gridiron aggregation.

Although the Bulldogs had a fair season last year, they are expecting to make an even better showing next fall with better material.

In past years Ferriday High has always been a contender for the district and state championship in Class B football circles.

SPRING HILL FALLS TO SOUTHEASTERN

HAMMOND, La., Feb. 15.—(P)—Spring Hill College of Mobile, Ala., defeated Southeastern Louisiana College here tonight in a fast nip and tuck basketball game by a score of 52-44.

The Spring Hill lads took a lead at 2-0 only to have Southeastern take command 9-8 a few minutes later. Spring Hill surged forward again to knot the count at 15 all, then forged ahead 17-15 and at half time led 33-19.

Shooting with unusual accuracy the Spring Hill quint increased its advantage early in the second half to 45-25 but slowed as the Southeastern lads crept up to within eight points of them as the final whistle blew.

Spring Hill showed considerable ability in sinking shots from the sidelines while Southeastern's forte of the night was long shots from near the center of the floor.

Box Score:

Southeastern	FG	FT	PP	TP
King, f.	3	1	0	7
Ratonesky, f.	0	0	0	0
Miller, f.	0	0	1	0
G. Barus, f.	0	0	0	0
Seal, c.	3	5	11	1
L. Barus, g.	1	0	0	2
Simmons, g.	2	0	0	4
Stevens, g.	0	2	0	0
Tucker, g.	3	0	2	0
McClure, g.	0	0	0	0
Totals	19	6	12	44

Spring Hill	FG	FT	PP	TP
Andsen, f.	6	1	0	13
Curran, f.	1	0	2	2
Balthrop, f.	4	0	1	8
Buckley, f.	0	0	0	0
Lauten, c.	1	2	4	4
Mayer, c.	2	1	5	5
Scanlon, g.	0	2	0	2
Napolitano, g.	9	0	0	18
Totals	24	4	8	52

Halftime score—Spring Hill 33; Southeastern 19.
Free throws missed—Southeastern: B. Bartus 3; Seal 3; Spring Hill—Balthrop 3; Lauten 3.

BASTROP BOXERS DEFEAT MONROE

Norris Ray Wins K.O. No. 12
Over Mississippi Welter-
weight Fighter

BASTROP, La., Feb. 15.—(Special)—The Bastrop Athletic Club's boxing team defeated the Monroe Optimist Club scrappers, 6 to 2, here tonight, but Norris Ray, Bastrop's Southern A. U. welterweight champion scored his twelfth consecutive knockout when he stopped James Fonden, Jackson, Miss., in the night's main event.

Fonden, a semi-finalist in the Mid-Southern Golden Gloves tournament at Memphis, started fast with Ray but wasn't capable of swapping punches with the hard jabbing Moreshouse mauler. Ray put Fonden down for a moment in the first round, and then knocked him through the ropes to finish the match in a minute and 30 seconds of the round. Ray leaves Monday for the N. A. A. U. fights at Chicago.

FIGHT HERE WEDNESDAY

The Monroe amateur boxing team, now sponsored by the Optimist Club, will meet the Spatafora Optimist Club mittmen here Wednesday night in Gus Kallio's Arena, it was announced last night. The card will be announced early this week. The fights will begin at 8 o'clock Wednesday, and the advanced sale of reserved seat tickets will begin at Kallio's Arena tomorrow morning.

Wig Reilly, Bastrop, decisioned Robert Gates, Monroe 126-pounder, in the semi-final event for his second straight win over the visiting scrapper. Reilly knocked Gates down for a nine count with a haymaker over the eye in the second round, and they really punished the Monroe fighter in the third. Gates was on the verge of being knocked out when the fight ended.

Albert Watson, 118, and Lucky Pendavis, 75, scored the only wins for the Monroe team. Pendavis outpointed Jimmy (K. O. Kid) Slade, and Watson decisioned Sonny Parker.

Bill Williams, Bastrop's semi-finalist in the Southern Golden Gloves fights, knocked out George Walters, Monroe, in a 155-pound battle. The ball saved Walters in the first round. In the second Walters caught Williams in a corner and was giving him a good going over when Williams caught the Monroe boxer with a jarring midriff punch to knock him out.

James Day, 95, Bastrop, fighting his first match, decisioned Gene Dean, Monroe.

Bobby Rogers, 105, Bastrop, outpointed Billy Franks, Monroe.

Charles Wightman, 110, Bastrop, won an unpopular decision over W. Perkins, Monroe.

The fights were presented before a full house in the Bastrop High School gymnasium.

GIANTS TO OPEN SPRING TRAINING GRIND MONDAY

PHOENIX, Ariz., Feb. 15.—(P)—All members of the New York Giants spring training baseball squad are expected to arrive here tomorrow night, ready to take part in the squad's first workout which Manager Mel Ott has scheduled for Monday morning.

A large group of players, headed by Coach Hank Gowdy and Club Secretary Eddie Brannick, together with 10 New York City sports writers, will arrive here on a train due at 3:30 a.m. tomorrow. They will detain at 8 a.m. Another group will arrive tomorrow by train from New Orleans and a third by train from Los Angeles. A number of individuals are coming by private automobile.

Ott and 11 other Giants have been here for the past 10 days, undergoing early conditioning at the site of the nearby Buckhorn Mineral Wells east of Mesa.

TURN PRO

STATE COLLEGE, Miss., Feb. 15.—(P)—Elbert Colvey, Mississippi State's varsity center in 1946, has signed a pro-football contract with the Buffalo club of the All-American league.

84 CAGE OUTFITS TO SEEK LAURELS AT RUSTON RALLY

North Louisiana Basketball
Tournament Will Open
Next Friday

RUSTON, La., Feb. 15.—(Special)—Eighty-four teams representing 54 high schools in 18 North Louisiana parishes will compete in the annual North Louisiana High School Basketball tournament to be held at Louisiana Tech, February 21-22, A. W. Ford, Tech tournament secretary, announced.

Teams entering the contest include 15 in the Class A division, 23 in the Class B division and 16 in the newly designated group C classification.

Using the gymnasium at Louisiana Tech and at the new Ruston, Clouderant and Simsbury High Schools, the tournament will begin at 8 a.m., Friday, February 21, and will end Saturday night, February 22.

Members of the Tech basketball team will officiate during the first day. Ford said, Madeline Brooks, coach of the 1936 basketball squad at Tech, and Pat Robert, also of Homer, will officiate during the final games.

Officiating in the girls' division will be Doris Chambers, Sicily Island, and Mary Lee George, Monroe.

Class A teams entering the tournament are as follows:

Neville of Monroe, Winnboro, Bernice, Ruston, Jonesboro-Hodge, Harris, Rayville, Farmerville, Bossier City, Athens, St. John's of Shreveport, Springhill, Bastrop, Winnfield and Homer.

Class B teams will represent the following high schools in the tournament:

Cotton Valley, Summerfield, Grayson, Marion, Chatham, Clouderant, Downsville, Ogden, Trout-Good Pine, Doyle, Pioneer, Sparsville, Gibsland, Arcadia, Sorora, Epps, Ringgold, Delhi, Oil City, Greenwood, Simsbury and Sikes.

Class C schools entering the contest are as follows:

Calhoun, Okaloosa, Mer Rouge, Enterprise, Bonita, Eros, Dubach, Quitman, Friendship, Linville, Weston, Oak Ridge, Central, Monticello, Forest and Lisbon.

WORLD'S TALLEST CAGER TURNS UP ON LOSING END AS TEAM BEATEN, 105-12

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 15.—(P)—The world's tallest basketball player had a rough time tonight. His team lost, 105 to 32.

The "big boy," seven-foot-seven-inch Max "Shorty" Palmer, did sink ten field goals for his club, Walnut Consolidated High School of Vance, Miss., but that wasn't enough even to annoy the evening's opponents, the freshmen team of Loyola of the South.

The bitter truth is that Palmer, who had scored more than a thousand points in 23 previous games this season, is not exactly a basketball player.

He can reach up on one foot and touch the hoop. With a very slight shove he can roll the ball over the edge into the bucket. But that's all. He can't make a shot.

The oversized 19-year-old freshman stood under the basket for all of the 35 minutes he played. When Loyola had the ball, Walnut had only four men on defense. And the Mississippians could well have used a dozen against the fast local frosh, who won their 20th game in 23 starts tonight.

Big Max seldom wandered more than six feet from the back board, and if he got the ball while that far away he'd pass to a teammate two feet shorter than himself, rather than take such a "long" shot.

Six times he failed even to push the ball in from right under the basket. It bounced back at odd angles, and a Loyola man invariably recovered, jumping high while Palmer remained floorbound.

Walnut's only attack tonight, and for the most of the season, was a pass to Big Max, followed by a shove into the hoop, but Max fumbled as many passes as he caught.

But the crowd enjoyed the show. Few of them had ever seen anything like—a team scoring 105 points.

The game was played as a preliminary to a tilt between the Loyola varsity and Marquette.

VIDALIA INVITES 22 FIVES TO INDEPENDENT TOURNEY

VIDALIA, La., Feb. 15.—(Special)—Twenty-two independent cage teams of northeast Louisiana towns and southwest Mississippi have received invitations to enter the tournament to be staged by the Vidalia Independents at the Vidalia High School gymnasium on March 1, C. H. Smith, tournament manager, said.

Cape teams of the Louisiana-Mississippi area which have not received invitations may enter the tournament by getting in touch with Smith. If enough teams enter the tournament, play will start Friday night, February 28, Smith stated.

Trophies will be awarded to both first and second-place winners in the tournament competition. Teams which have received written invitations to participate are Waterproof, Ferriday, Jonesville, Harrisonburg, Red Shield of Natchez, Miss.; Dukes of Natchez; Armstrong of Natchez, Ballew Drillers Natchez; Sports Center of Natchez; Winnboro, Roxie, Jena, Meadville, Enterprise, Sicily Island, Clayton, Wisner, Rayville, Baskin, Ogden, Epps, and Trout-Good Pine. Acceptance has been sent in by Winnboro, Enterprise, and the Armstrong Tire and Rubber team of Natchez, Miss.

TIDE LAST FOR MAROONS

STATE COLLEGE, Miss., Feb. 15.—(P)—Coach Dick Hitt's Mississippi State cagers will close their season February 22 in a tangle with the Alabama Crimson Tide quintet in the State College gymnasium here. The Mississippi Maroons will then enter the Southeastern Conference Tournament in Louisville, Ky., Feb. 27-March 1.

MODEL PLANE CLUB TO GET OWN FIELD

The city council of Monroe, through efforts of C. R. Tidwell, has granted to the model flyers of Monroe a piece of land to be constructed into a model airport. The airport shall be situated on the corner of Riverside Drive and Park Avenue.

Mr. Tidwell and Jac Combs, president of the Monroe Aircraft Club, met last week and drove out to Forsythe Park, where they finally picked the location. The city of Monroe will begin to level off the site and fence it in soon.

Two new members were admitted into the club Friday. They are David Eberts and Bobby Joe Wallace.

At their general meeting Friday night the members discussed the colors of the club, and it was decided that red and yellow would be most appropriate since they were the easiest attainable. Also discussed was the emblem for the membership card. Wilmer "Doc" Lawson, publicity director, offered to have the cards printed.

The model planes will be flown this afternoon at 2:00 o'clock across from the swimming pool. Jac Combs and all the club members invite the public to come out and watch the planes fly and do stunts.

CAGE SCHEDULE NEARING CLOSE

Recreation League Outfits
Entering Playoffs And
Ending States

Two Recreation department cage leagues, the Midgets and Girls' circuits, enter their championship playoffs this week, and the two other loops, the City League and the Junior League will be winding up their regular schedule in games

BENGALS POUNCE ON AUBURN QUINT FOR 76 TO 52 WIN

Brian, Merrill, Lowther, Adcock, Walters Score Freely

BATON ROUGE, La., Feb. 15.—Louisiana State University had little difficulty downing a hapless Alabama Polytechnic Institute basketball quintet 76-52 here tonight to keep clean its record of no defeats on its home court this season.

It was the fifth consecutive conference win for the Tigers and their 13th victory in 16 starts.

The Tigers took an early lead and were never thereafter threatened. At half time they led 39-29 and from there on increased their advantage with ease, using substitutes liberally.

High point man of the night was Frank Brian with 16 points, followed by Dick Merrill, Tiger freshman Niles, Mich., who tallied 15. Joe Bill Adcock, forward Bobby Lowther and guard Billy Walters also did well, with Lowther and Adcock getting 13 points each and Walters an even dozen.

The L. S. U. offense was just too much for the Auburn players who played gamely but ineffectually.

The game was a prep for the Tigers for their contest next week with Tulane. Neither team has been defeated on its home court this year, each has won one game from the other, and if Kentucky defeats Tennessee and Alabama, the winner of the Tulane-L. S. U. game seems slated for the runner-up position in the conference tourney.

Box scores:

Auburn	FG	FT	PF	TP
Sterling, f.	0	2	0	2
R. Williams, f.	6	3	4	15
Miller, f.	2	0	2	4
Shelby, f.	0	0	0	0
T. Williams, c.	2	2	1	6
Hill, c.	2	0	0	6
Russell, g.	2	0	2	6
Dawson, g.	2	0	5	4
Powell, g.	1	0	0	2
Duffy, g.	0	0	0	0
Totals	22	9	14	53

L. S. U.	FG	FT	PF	TP
Adcock, f.	7	2	3	16
Lowther, f.	6	1	1	13
Merrill, f.	7	1	1	15
Brian, f.	6	1	1	13
Adcock, c.	6	1	0	13
Walters, g.	6	0	0	12
Webb, g.	1	2	4	4
Gremillion, c.	0	0	0	0
Griffith, c.	0	1	3	1
Schiele, g.	0	0	0	0
Sloan, g.	0	0	0	0
Jennings, g.	0	0	0	0
Totals	54	8	12	76

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Bowling Scores

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Peacock's Jewelers	25	8	.758
Spatafora's Pharmacy	23	10	.697
Green Mill Inn	18	15	.545
Strauss and Son	14	19	.424
Brice's Super Market	12	21	.364
Bubb's Tea Room	7	26	.212

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Superior Lumber	9	3	.750
Mary's Flower Shop	8	4	.667
Guerrero Insurance	7	5	.583
Well Cleaners	5	7	.417
Purity Ice Cream	5	7	.417
Brice's Super Market	2	10	.167

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Hunt and Whitaker	37	20	.649
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Team	1	2	3	Total
Stuart	147	119	145	411
Durham	225	131	128	484
Mihna	176	151	161	488
Johnson	151	170	172	493
(Blind)	125	125	125	375
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Totals	824	716	752	2292
Bennett's	1	2	3	6

Oil And Gas News

BATON ROUGE, La., Feb. 15.—(AP)—The state conservation department today announced in its weekly oil report the completion of 14 wells with initial daily production totaling 227 barrels, the abandonment of seven wells, and the issuance of 23 permits for new wells.

Completions were: Acadia parish, Jennings Field, Bates No. 63 J. B. Watkins, S8-12S-12W, 228 bbls., 9/64"; East Hackberry, Union Sulphur Co. No. 53 Watkins, S13-12S-10W, 108 bbls., pumping; West Hackberry, Stanolind Oil & Gas Co. No. 72 state land, S14-12S-10W, 468 bbls., 1/8".

Abandonments: Cameron, Black bayou, Shell Oil Co. No. 63 J. B. Watkins, S8-12S-12W, 228 bbls., 9/64"; East Hackberry, Union Sulphur Co. No. 53 Watkins, S13-12S-10W, 108 bbls., pumping; West Hackberry, Stanolind Oil & Gas Co. No. 72 state land, S14-12S-10W, 468 bbls., 1/8".

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Comprehensive Study Of O. P.
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March 3

A complete survey of the Ouachita parish school system will be initiated here on March 3, it was stated at a special meeting of the Ouachita parish school board held Friday. The survey is being made with approval of John E. Cox, superintendent of education, Baton Rouge. It was not known how long it will require to make the survey.

The meeting was called to arrange to apply for surplus property at Selman field, where buildings are to be disposed of and which may be used, the school board believes, for shops, classrooms and other buildings when converted. They are said to be badly needed for Negro schools in outlying parts of Ouachita parish and also for several white schools.

The millage tax, parish-wide, for the support of Ouachita parish schools is now about to expire and a special election is to be held this spring to renew the levy. The situation was discussed but no date was decided upon for holding the election.

STONEWALL LODGE NO. 8 MEETS
Stonewall Lodge No. 8, Knights of Pythias, inducted six men into the first rank, that of page, on Thursday night. The second rank, that of esquire, will be conferred on these candidates on the night of February 20. Any others who have had the first rank but not the second rank are urged to attend and receive this rank.

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TECH LEADER



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IN MOVIELAND

By Bob Thomas
HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 15.—(P)—American movies are not as good as they used to be. This is the opinion of many film sages, and Director William Wyler is one of the first to offer some why for the situation.

"That United States films are slipping is evidenced by several factors: (1) Large number of foreign films in lists of 1946's 'ten best'; (2) decreased theater receipts; (3) critical panings of many expensive productions; (4) current shakeups of studio personnel. Regarding this matter, Wyler wants it known that he likes Hollywood, but he sees trends that are damaging the industry.

"The trouble is that making pictures here has become piece-meal work," he told me. "A film is thrown together by many hands, with no particular guidance along the route. And any one of the hands can louse the whole thing up."

"To make good pictures, there must be one guiding force, not necessarily the director, although he is in the best position to be it. Nowadays in the big studios the director is allowed very little independence; a script is shoved at him and he is told to shoot it as is."

Wyler recalled when he started as a director at the old Universal in 1928. He said directors were handed scripts and told to do anything they wanted with them.

"But you can bet if we didn't get a good picture out of it, we were canned," he added.

The director said that now a big studio might give a director a story and tell him: "We realize it's a bad script so if it's a bum picture we won't blame you." The result is one big happy family within the studio—and worse pictures in the theaters.

The situation won't get any better until directors are given more independence, he said. And then, they must take more time and trouble with their pictures. He and his conferees of Liberty pictures, Frank Capra and George Stevens, are allowing them only one film yearly apiece.

"It took me three years in the army to really know my characters in 'Best Years of Our Lives,'" he said. "I often think how much better my other films would have been if I had as much time." Some of his other films: "Wuthering Heights," "The Little Foxes," "Mrs. Miniver," all of which did all right anyway.

Wyler received an Oscar for his direction of "Mrs. Miniver" and smart money around town indicates that come March 13 he'll have a pair of bookends.

Asbestos mines in the United States produce only three to six percent of asbestos used in the United States.

HISTORY TOLD OF RED CROSS

Albert Chamberlain Gives Address To Monroe Members

Coming into existence 80 years ago, the Red Cross has made unbelievable strides in its operations, declared Albert Chamberlain, assistant national director of fund raising from Washington, D. C., who spoke informally at a recent conference in the local Red Cross office. He was accompanied by Ben Stanton, assistant regional director, Atlanta, Ga., who also discussed plans concerning the 1947 fund campaign for Ouachita parish.

Steadily climbing in prominence, 62 nations today are working together in a world-wide organization, magnificent in cooperation, Chamberlain said. In the United States the Red Cross has 3,754 chapters, including nine in-ular and foreign chapters within territorial limits.

With the needs of permanency constantly growing, the Red Cross reached its peak of performance in the last World War. The organization served as the distributing agency of government funds, besides providing supplies purchased with Red Cross money. The scale of work was tremendous, the speaker asserted. The organization even furnished ships and personnel. Many a man who saw action on the battle field during the last war owes his life to the Red Cross which provided 13,000,000 pints of blood in addition to other essential aid.

But assistance to men and women in uniform did not end with cessation of fighting. The national organization immediately formulated a vast program of after-war activities. Mr. Chamberlain said. One of its major interests concerns those 2,000,000 persons who are still in military service. He declared that the Red Cross clubs are now doing a better job overseas than they did during the war. Opportunities, he explained, are almost unlimited, what with more younger people and more time to fill the wartime conditions demanded. Counsel, recreation and entertainment are on the calendar of service.

The speaker stressed that phase of the program devoted to assisting veterans and their families. Eleven million former servicemen have been helped by this agency. A large percentage of the \$28,000,000 being applied to ex-servicemen's assistance goes to veterans' hospitals, where both physical and mental cases are treated.

Another big job of the American Red Cross is the rendering of home services, explained Mr. Chamberlain. These include first aid, prevention of accidents and nursing. Courses are offered in first aid, water safety and accident prevention. Classes for home makers on limited budgets, home nursing, mother and baby care—all may be had for the asking.

Red Cross disaster service is one of the greatest aids. Anticipating from 150 to 250 disasters each year, the organization has developed a program of preparedness marked by unusual efficiency, the speaker said. During the past year the American Red Cross was on the job in 21 disasters, including hurricanes, tornadoes, fires, earthquakes, explosions and epidemics. In caring for emergency needs of people in the Ohio-Mississippi river flooded areas the Red Cross spent \$25,000,000.

Being a practical agency, Mr. Chamberlain explained, the American Red Cross has reduced its personnel two-thirds of its wartime size. But with all its practicability, the speaker concluded, the Red Cross is still the idealistic institution that it was in its origin.

ANOTHER ARREST MADE IN WEST MONROE DRIVE

A charge of operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicants was on file in the West Monroe city court Saturday against a man booked as Sam H. Humphries, of 112 Travis street.

Police records show the arrest was made on Trenton Street, near Pine, in downtown West Monroe, at 11:20 p.m. Friday, by Officers James Culphip and J. B. Hennen.

The accused was released an hour later on a \$500 property bond for appearance before Judge Jesse Heard in city court Monday afternoon.

Per capita use of salt in the United States is about 190 pounds, but much of this amount is consumed in non-dietary ways such as in tanning and dyeing.

Mackenzie's Column

By J. M. Roberts, Jr.
(Associated Press Foreign Affairs Analyst)
When Secretary Marshall reported to the Senate foreign relations committee that the world "is in a very critical condition, he wasn't breaking what you would call a startling bit of news.

But although the secretary is a military man and therefore might be expected to think along military lines, there is no reason to believe he was talking about imminent war.

There is sufficient trouble without that, although it lurks constantly in the background for the future.

There are cases when a patient's condition becomes critical merely because a cure for his ills is not found or because he fails to respond to treatment. That is the world's state today. Progress toward solution of its major problems has been small since the shooting stopped.

Marshall possibly had China much on his mind, having just come from there. China is on the brink of economic and political collapse. The general could well have been thinking what would happen if Russia "took over" the Chinese Communists and tried to step into the vast void which would be left by disruption of the Nanking government. Even if China is subjected only to political collapse and a civil war, it would provide a crisis for a world so unsettled as this one.

The situation of Great Britain, internally torn politically, suffering grievous outward wounds and struggling economically, would be in it-

self sufficient grounds for the secretary's statement.

Prospects for continued unrest in India, even a searing civil war in the Middle East, the inability to get Europe started again; a certain tendency toward totalitarianism in Latin America; the uncertainty of the atomic future—all these and more probably were in Marshall's mind.

And there is, of course, the one continuing crisis which is superimposed on everything else—the difficulty of obtaining the cooperation of Soviet Russia for peace. General Marshall is well aware that when he goes to Moscow next month he will be stepping into one of the most complicated situations with which a man was ever asked to deal.

The best informed people have no idea that Russia intends to precipitate a war in the near future. They believe her intentions are just the opposite. But what Marshall will be trying to do is to effect a peace for Europe which will go as far as possible toward eliminating the causes of European wars as well as to provide for peaceful prevention. He cannot avoid considering the possibility that

any peace to which Russia now may be adopted in the light of what it will mean to her in some future war if one becomes necessary to prevent the slow death of totalitarian Communism.

Success or failure at Moscow is not likely to mark the termination of this crisis. But what happens there, and in the other councils of these days, will have an important bearing on whether, when the crisis does break, the turn will be toward war or peace.

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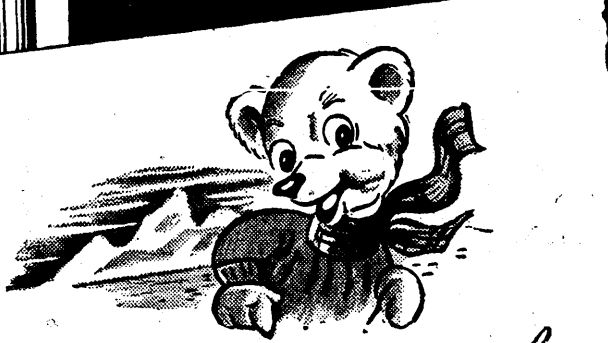
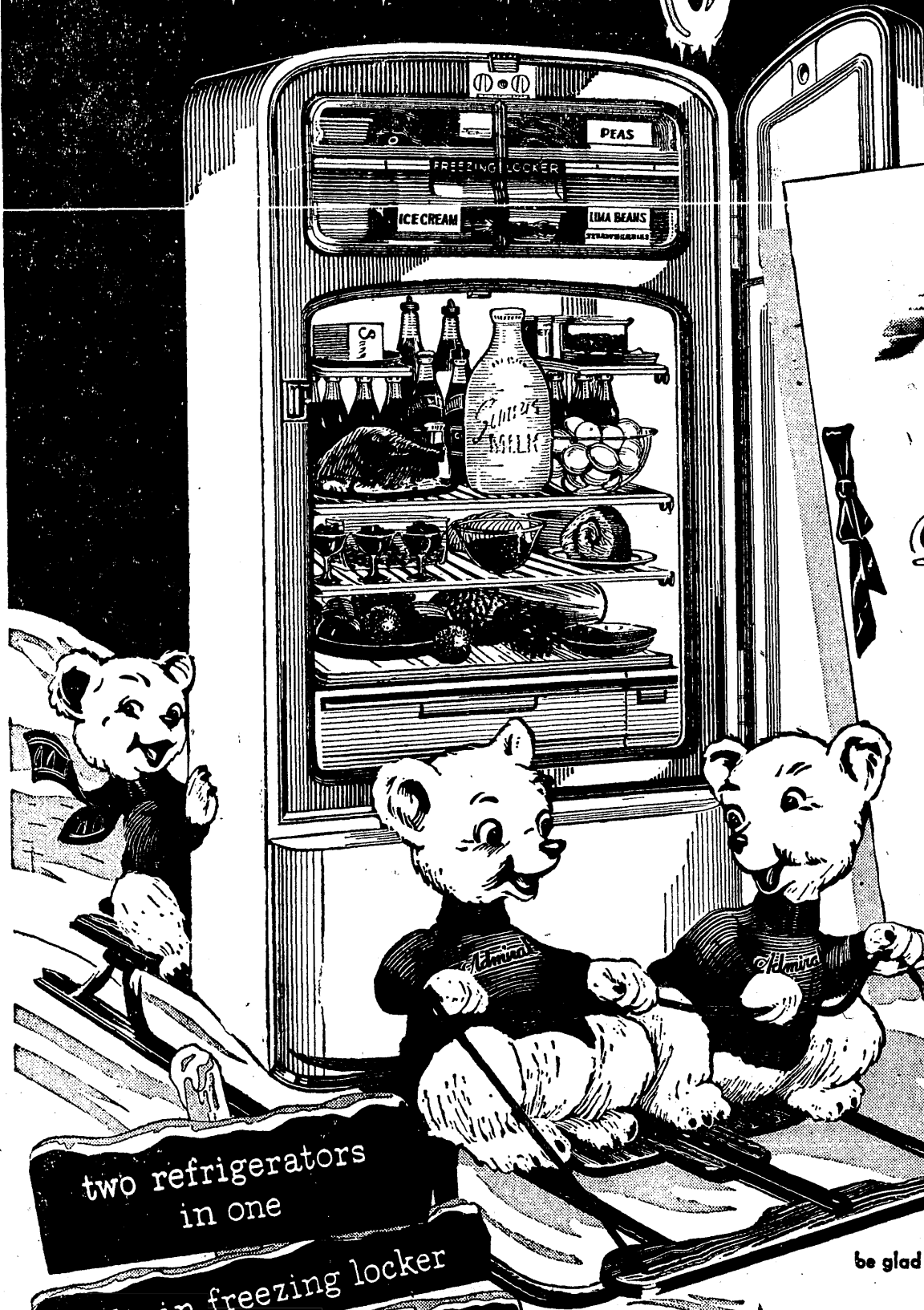
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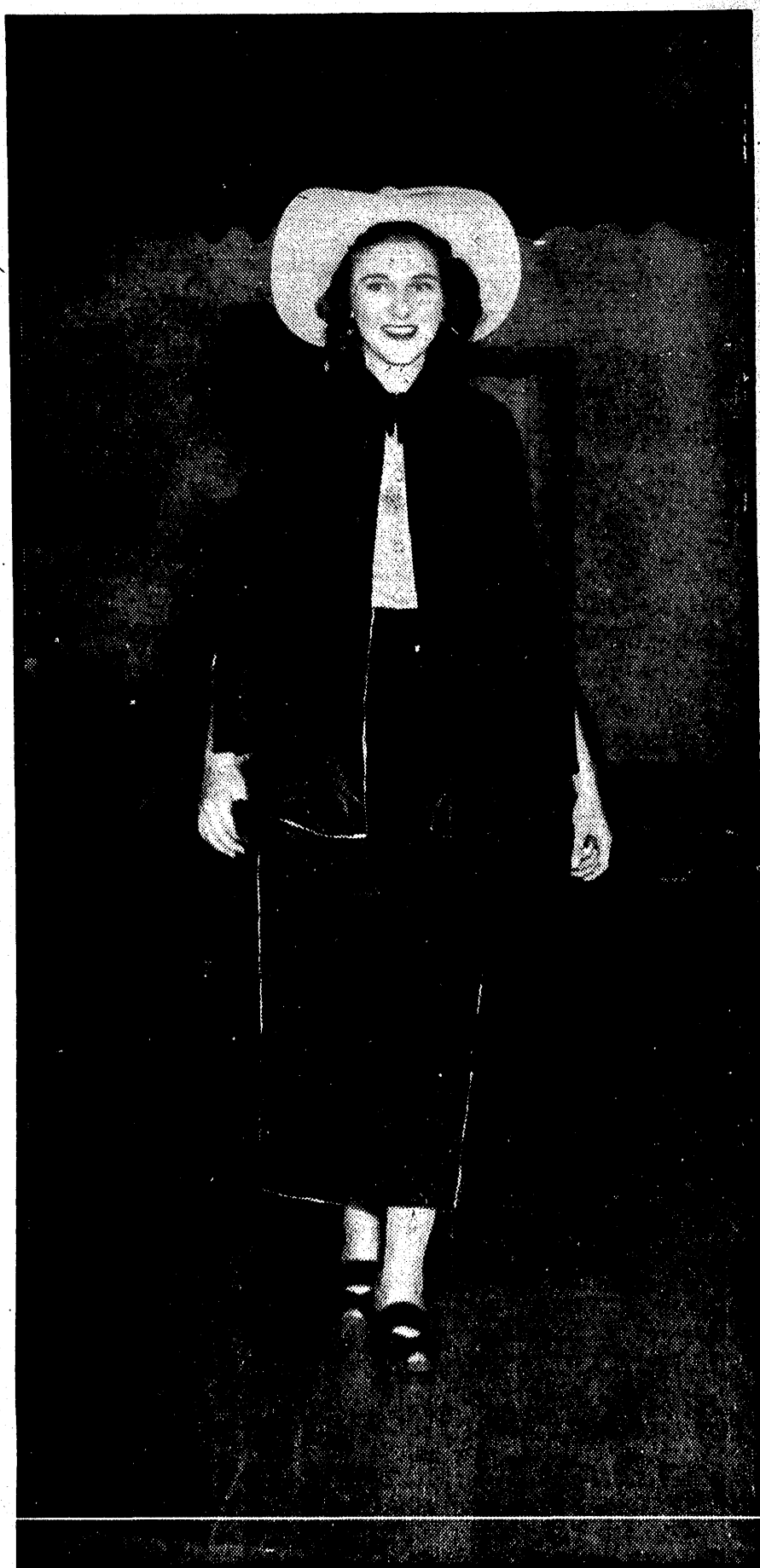
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Feminine fashions for 1947 with a glimpse of those that have come and gone for nearly 100 years featured the second postwar style revue presented by St. Anne's circle and St. Matthew's High School Sodality on the terrace of the Frances Hotel last Wednesday night. The period costumes made the revue "different" and added glamour to the whole presentation. The costumes, a little too bulky for the modern rhumba, have, however, much in common with today's style . . . the bustle. The models, across the top of the page, from left to right, are: Miss Rosanne Reid, Miss Peggy Morrison, Miss Teri deJaive and Miss Mary Louise Guerriero. At the bottom of the page, left to right, are: Mrs. James A. Noe, Miss Pauline Breard, Mrs. M. A. McHenry escorted by Mr. Thomas Serwich, Miss Gloria Cooper and Miss Cecile Danna.

PORTRAIT OF MRS. G. STOVALL WILL BE HUNG IN THE WAR MEMORIAL HALL IN JACKSON

High on the list of prominent club women of the Twin Cities stands the name of Mrs. Gilbert Stovall, whose work is inseparably linked with the cultural, civic and social life of Monroe and West Monroe.

Mrs. Stovall is a graduate of a Baptist college in Mississippi, with post-graduate work in speech and dramatic art at the Boston School of Dramatic Arts. She made her home in Jackson, Miss., before coming to Louisiana.

She was an active member of the Shakespeare Club and the Woman's Club in Jackson, and served as county chairman of the Parent-Teachers Association and as president of her local association.

After extensive studies in social welfare work at Oxford, Miss. New Orleans, La., Mineral Wells, Texas, and Jacksonville, Fla., she was appointed welfare director by the Mississippi Board of Public Welfare and served in that capacity until coming to Louisiana.

As early as 1921, before the Mississippi department of the American Legion Auxiliary was organized, her outstanding work as president of the Percy Johnston unit attracted the attention of the American Legion and she was appointed by the department commander to assist in organizing the Mississippi department of the American Legion Auxiliary.

She has served the auxiliary as department president, national executive board member, two terms, department secretary, two terms; chairman of the

following department committees: rehabilitation and child welfare, two terms; child welfare, two terms; legislation, one term; auxiliary business manager of the "veteran"; executive secretary, two terms; member national rehabilitation committee; president of Henry Graves unit, one term; poppy chairman, one term; she is a charter member of the 40 and 8, honorary auxiliary organization, and received her initiation at Indianapolis, Ind., national headquarters of the American Legion Auxiliary. She was appointed organizer for the Mississippi department.

Since coming to West Monroe, her qualities of leadership have been appreciated by the clubs in which she holds membership, namely the Altrurian Book Club and the Civic League. She has served as president of both these organizations. Due largely to her efforts as president of the Altrurian Book Club, the club was placed on the roster of "Outstanding Clubs" in the Louisiana Federation of Women's Clubs, and the Civic League increased its membership more than three-fold during her administration as president.

For her outstanding work as commander Fifth district, American Cancer Field Army, she received a plaque for "distinguished service to the American Cancer Society."

She is a member of Fort Miro Chapter, D. A. R., Monroe, and is serving

as publicity chairman of the Monroe Garden Club.

Many editorials have been written in praise of Mrs. Stovall's work. The following item appeared in the Jackson, Mississippi Daily News:

"To Mrs. Stovall, whose wide experience and understanding of American Legion Auxiliary work admirably fitted her for the position as president of the Henry Graves Unit, goes a large share of the credit for the outstanding work of the year. She served as first department president in the state when the organization was in its infancy and has since furthered the work in many capacities.

"As a member of the national executive board for two years, of the national rehabilitation committee and the national Americanism committee, as well as attendant at many state and national conventions, she has been training in various phases of organizing American Legion Auxiliary work in Mississippi.

Society Calendar

Sunday
Beta Delta Sorority "rush" tea in the home of Miss Rose Marie Wall, 507 Rochelle, from 3 to 5 p. m.

Delta Beta Sigma Sorority meeting, home of Miss Martha Stewart, 2301 Trenton street, West Monroe.

Meeting of Sigma Phi Omega at West Monroe recreation center, 2 p. m. Regular meeting of the Alpha Delta Kappa sorority will be held in the home of Miss Evelyn Hislop, 2 p. m. Meeting of Phi Kappa fraternity with Joe Kern, 2 p. m.

Monday
The Equality Club will meet at Castle Hall, 127 1/2 St. John street, for "pot-luck." There will be a pot-luck supper before the short business meeting. Degree staff will practice, 6 p. m.

Mrs. John Goodlet and Mrs. L. H. Peavy will entertain at La Casa Tea Room for Miss Kathleen Myers, 12 o'clock.

Meeting of Literary Guild with Mrs. P. L. Perot. Co-hostess Mrs. W. M. Harper, 2:30 p. m.

Louise L. McGuire Chapter No. 4, O. E. S. meets at 8 o'clock. Initiation. All Eastern Star members invited.

Meeting of the Monroe Garden Club, Monday afternoon, February 17th, at 2:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. J. M. Broad, hostesses: Mrs. Broad, Mrs. A. G. McHenry, Mrs. Cecil Jarrell, Mrs. Wesley Shafit, Mrs. A. E. Montgomery. Guest speaker: Miss Frances Flanders, librarian Ouachita Parish Public Library will read the book, "Books, Children and Men," by Paul Hazzard.

Meeting of the Welcome Garden Club at the West Monroe Public Library, 2:30, hostesses: Mrs. J. C. Anders, Mrs. George Temple, Mrs. V. S. Garnett, Mrs. Sam Humphries.

The Review Club will meet in the home of Mrs. C. B. Braun, 1608 North Second street, at 2:30 p. m.

Mrs. G. M. Snellings, Jr., and Mrs. D. A. Broad will entertain at luncheon at La Casa Tea Room for Miss Satchie Naiden, 1 p. m.

The Monroe Chapter of Secretaries International will hold its monthly business and study meeting at the home of Miss Margaret Lindie, 204 Linderman, West Monroe, at 6:30 p. m.

The Jolly Y Janes' Club of Y-Teens will meet at the "Y" at 4:30 p. m. The Triads Club of Y-Teens will meet at the "Y" at 4:30 p. m.

Tuesday
Mr. and Mrs. George Gunby will entertain at dinner for Miss Satchie Naiden at their home on Auburn, 7:30 p. m.

Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church will meet in committee groups at the church, 3 p. m.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of Stone Avenue Methodist Church will meet at the church at 2:30 p. m.

Special meeting of Girl Scout Leaders Association, Recreation Center, 9:30 a. m. All leaders urged to attend.

The program meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church will be held at the church, Tuesday at 3 p. m. The leader will be Mrs. H. V. Collins. The subject is to be: "The Adult Program of the Church."

Program meeting of the W. M. S. of the First Baptist Church, 3 p. m. in church auditorium, with Circle No. 8 in charge.

Mrs. F. P. Robinson will entertain with a luncheon in Bastrop for Miss Kathleen Myers at 1 p. m.

Mrs. N. J. Moore and Mrs. J. L. Alder will entertain for Miss Kathleen Myers at 8 p. m.

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church will meet as follows: Northside Circle with Mrs. J. J. Smith, 1607 North Sixth street, Southside Circle with Mrs. R. W. Irby, 3212 Lee avenue, Central Circle with Mrs. Annie Benton, 510 Calypso street.

The W. M. S. of the Parkview Baptist Church will meet as follows: Circle 1—Mrs. O. D. Hart, 1022 North Fifth, 10 a. m. Circle 2—Mrs. H. C. Menue, 1515 Park avenue, 10 a. m. Circle 3—Mrs. A. L. Lagrone, 117 Roberts street, 2:30 p. m.

There will be a called meeting of St. Anne's Circle held in the St. Mat-

thew's school cafeteria, Tuesday at 3:30 p. m.

The Kumjouny-Blue Triangle Club of Y-Teens will meet at the Ouachita Parish High School in Room 204.

Wednesday
Meeting of Study Club with Mrs. Eugene Flournoy. Miss Marguerite McHenry will be the guest of honor, 3:45 p. m.

Mrs. Walter Rhodes will entertain for Miss Kathleen Myers on Wednesday at 4 p. m.

The Y'd Awake Club of Y-Teens will meet at the "Y" at 4:00 p. m. The YoWoCa Business Girls' Club will meet for their regular supper program meeting at the "Y" at 6:30 p. m.

Thursday
Mrs. A. K. Kilpatrick and Mrs. George Trousdale, hostesses at tea at the Kilpatrick home for Miss Satchie Naiden, 4 to 6 p. m.

Miss Joyce Siegle hostess at dinner, Cameo room, Virginia hotel for Miss Satchie Naiden, 8 p. m.

Mrs. James Phillips and Mrs. James Moore, hostesses at coffee hour for Miss Kathleen Myers, 10 p. m.

The Readers' Clique will meet with Mrs. H. C. Menue, 1515 Park Ave., at 2:30 p. m.

The Blue Circle Club of the Y-Teens will meet at the "Y" at 4:30 p. m.

Friday
Mr. and Mrs. Morris Haas and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wright will enter-

tain at cocktails at the Haas home for Miss Satchie Naiden.

Judge and Mrs. William Harper will entertain the Naiden-Finlayson wedding party following rehearsal at their home on Island Drive.

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The Y'd Awake Club of Y-Teens will have a "Two-Way" Party at the "Y" at 7:00 p. m.

Saturday, February 22
Marriage of Miss Satchie Naiden and Mr. James Finlayson at Presbyterian Church, 7:30 p. m. Reception in crystal ball room, Virginia Hotel.

Marriage of Miss Satchie Naiden and Mr. Charles Robert Finlayson at First Presbyterian Church, 7:30 p. m. Reception on Virginia hotel roof.

Mrs. John Kendrick James, hostess at breakfast, Cameo room, Virginia hotel, for Miss Satchie Naiden, 11 a. m.

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SMALL FRY HAVE A PENCHANT for their own special stationery and FRED LEVI has placed at their disposal some of the swankiest note paper in town. It was designed for boys and girls and is so much in demand it's almost impossible to keep it in stock. The books for boys and girls at FRED LEVI'S is another drawing card... the store is filled every day with youngsters looking for their favorite volume. Just in case you haven't heard FRED LEVI has distinctive party favors and adorable brides' books.

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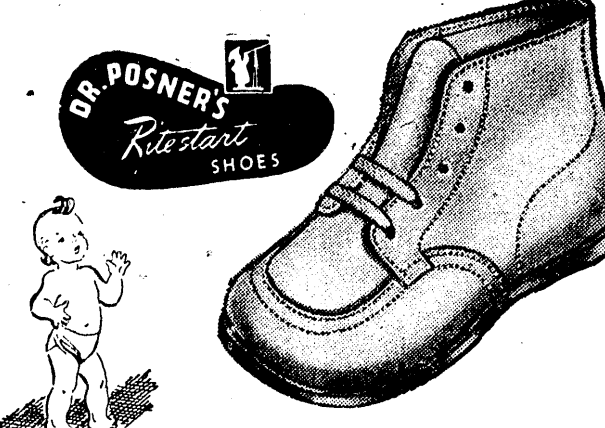


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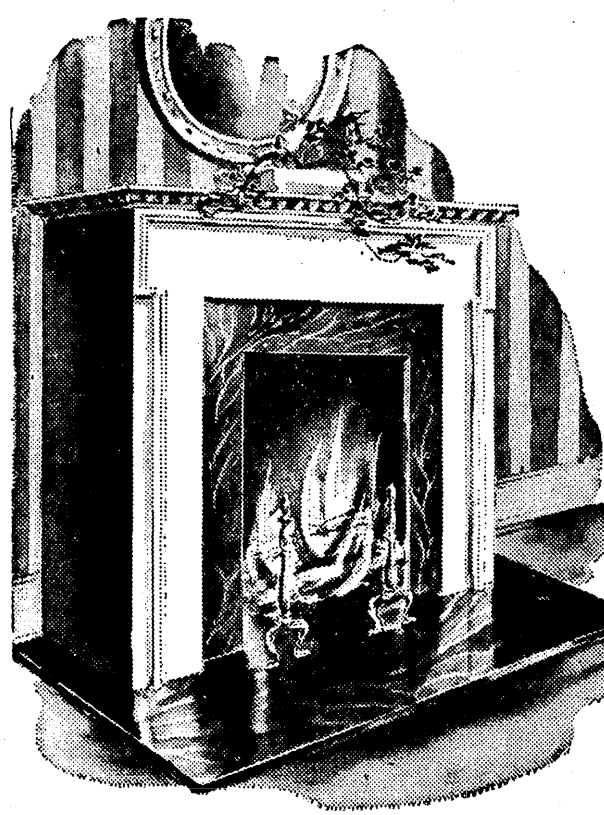


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MUSIC GUILD ENTERTAINED IN LOVELY NEW HOME OF MRS. CRUSE ON HUDSON LANE

The beautiful new home of Mrs. E. W. Cruse was the setting for one of the most ambitious programs of the season of the Music Guild. Spring flowers, placed with lavish hand in the music room, added a colorful note. Mrs. B. B. Martin, program chairman, gave an illuminating talk on the life and work of Richard Wagner. She said: "In all his works Wagner found no detail in costuming, scenic effects, choral work or dancing, too small for his personal attention. He set out with Reinzi to surpass Meyerbeer and he left no stone unturned and worked untiringly in his efforts. Novice though he was, he secured some of the most noted singers of his time to perform in Reinzi, thereby securing its success. The first time it was given the

audience remained from six until eleven-fifteen, and was still applauding loudly. Wagner was afraid it had failed and rushed early to the theatre next morning to cut it to a more desirable length, but was persuaded by the star in the name roll to leave it in its originally long form. It is still given today even though it is one of Wagner's least popular operas.

Tannhauser, Lohengrin, and Der fliegende Holländer at first met with little success. It was given four times and then dropped for more than 22 years. It was the first Symphonic Opera, in which the music grows out of a few germinal themes, and grows continuously without being divided into a series of autonomous entities. It was the first to reach England where it was given in Italian in 1870. In America the premiere also in Italian occurred at Philadelphia Academy of Music in 1876. Given by Metropolitan in German three seasons dropped and revived in 1930.

Tannhauser was given first in 1845 at Dresden and poorly received. It gained in popularity each time it was given. London first heard Tannhauser in 1876, but it was given in America 17 years earlier. It was the first of Wagner's operas to be given in America. During its almost 6 decades of the Metropolitan existence, Tannhauser has been in the repertoire of that house.

Lohengrin, also written by Wagner, is the best romantic opera ever written, and in many ways and respects his best. It was given 269 times at the Metropolitan up through the 1940-41 seasons.

Wagner's life was very full, and even by modern day standards he would be considered a "grand rascal". It is said by many critics that much of his success as a composer was gained by the fact that he was able to draw from the well of his rich life, using his composing as an outpouring of his passionate nature.

Some later operas of Wagner's which are popular today are, "Tristan, Die Meistersinger von Nürnberg, "Ring", and Die Walküre. In closing Mrs. Martin concluded, an artist rarely concludes his life with his best and biggest work, much less his most nearly perfect. After the mighty "Ring", and after the comparative flawlessness of Lohengrin, Tristan and Die Meistersinger, Wagner was not content to rest, but added the religious drama, "Parsifal" to the list of his important works. This was given first in America in the Metropolitan in 1886.

Music in general was Wagner's real heir and it suffices to say that no composer since Wagner has been un-influenced either in harmony or orchestration by his revolutionary practice.

The Guild felt most fortunate in having the talented and most charming guest artist, Mrs. A. M. Serex, who sang two arias from Wagner's compositions. Mrs. A. M. Serex was ably accompanied by Mrs. J. C. Liner, Jr.

After the social period the members of the Guild enjoyed a tour through the lovely home of their hostess. This home is one that all Monroe could rightly be proud as it will be featured in one of the outstanding home magazines in the near future. Those enjoying these courtesies were: Mesdames J. Norman Coon, R. W. Creney, E. W. Cruse, Cecil Hill, H. D. Holmes, Willys Hopkins, H. M. James, E. Everett Lawson, E. B. Martin, Paul Newman, P. A. Peag, Raymond Spence, Lloyd Walters, and Mrs. J. M. Coalson, and guests, Mrs. Serex, Mrs. J. C. Liner, Jr., and Gail Goodwin.

MRS. GILBERT STOVALL



Mrs. Stovall, one of the outstanding club women of the Twin Cities will be honored by the hanging of her portrait in the American Legion Auxiliary headquarters, War Memorial Building, Jackson, Miss., her former home. The above picture is a reproduction of the painting. She served the auxiliary with distinction as state president and as a member of the national executive board. She has been honored by the Mississippi department, American Legion Auxiliary, with practically every office, both elective and appointive, within the auxiliary.

RECORD CIRCULATION AT THE OUACHITA PARISH PUBLIC LIBRARY REACHED IN JANUARY

The housing shortage is recognized by public libraries all over the country as one reason why so many people visit them than used to. They're happy to get more customers for whatever reason, but they aren't blind to the fact that with more crowded living conditions more and more people are finding it more comfortable to do their reading in public libraries. The report of 150 libraries of every kind and size all over the United States which have just been gathered by the American Library association show up some interesting facts. Students are going to the libraries to do their studying. . . too crowded at home to concentrate. . . Housewives, whose families have doubled up have more time for reading, and do it in the libraries. . . Parents ask for more story books to keep the children quiet so they won't disturb others. . . More books, incidentally, are lost by borrowers since the housing shortage. . . Adults and children alike haven't any place to keep private possessions or safeguard books.

Miss Frances Flanders, librarian of the Ouachita Parish Public Library announces a record circulation for the month of January. The books circulated were 9969. Of this number 6648 were adult books and 3221 were juvenile.

enile. At the end of the month there were 11,202 registered borrowers. 6,556 were adults, while 4,546 were juveniles. During the month of January 1138 special requests for books were supplied by the Library. In filling these requests 60 books were borrowed from the Louisiana State Library in Baton Rouge. The other requests were filled with books from our own collection. The variety of subjects on which people seek information is amazing. A

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man who had recently purchased a sawmill, consulted the Library for advice on using a circular saw; a little girl who is confined to her bed passed many pleasant hours learning card tricks from books borrowed from the Library; a man who was learning the plumbing trade borrowed plumbers manuals from the Library. Teachers have borrowed books about folk dancing, phonetics and bird study. Other requests that we have filled deal with the subjects of refinishing furniture, shell craft, India, Argentina, chemical engineering, ballroom dancing, small boat building, Chinese art, Jesse James, flower arrangement, interior decoration, introduction of a speaker at a banquet and many others too numerous to mention.

One question received this month has been unanswered, Miss Frances Flanders, the Librarian, received this card from Salem, Ohio:

"Dear Librarian:
Please tell me where James Phelps is buried. Ballplayer. Died July 27, 1909, by snake bite. Was playing with the Rayville Club at Monroe. Name Cemetery."

Miss Flanders has tried all available sources to find out about this case. If anyone who reads this knows about James Phelps, please call 4780 and tell Miss Flanders.

In connection with the Garden Club flower show, which was planned for February 8 and 9, Miss Flanders had secured several copies of the pamphlet, "Camellias for the year" published by the Extension department of Louisiana State University. If you are interested in Camellia culture, come by the Library and secure a copy.

The Ouachita Parish Public Library is located at 418 Jackson Street in Monroe and at 413 Natchitoches Street in West Monroe. If you are not a patron of the Library, come by and register and take advantage of the resources of the Library.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Mullin, Jr., of New Castle, Del., announce the arrival of their first child, a son, Ronald William at Delaware Hospital on Jan. 30. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sugden of Monroe, and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Mullin, Sr., of Wilmington, Del. Mrs. Mullin was the former Miss Frances Sugden of Monroe.

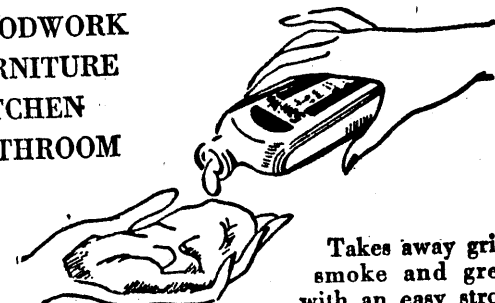
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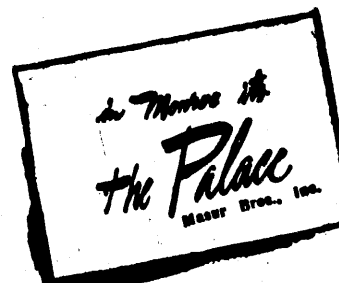
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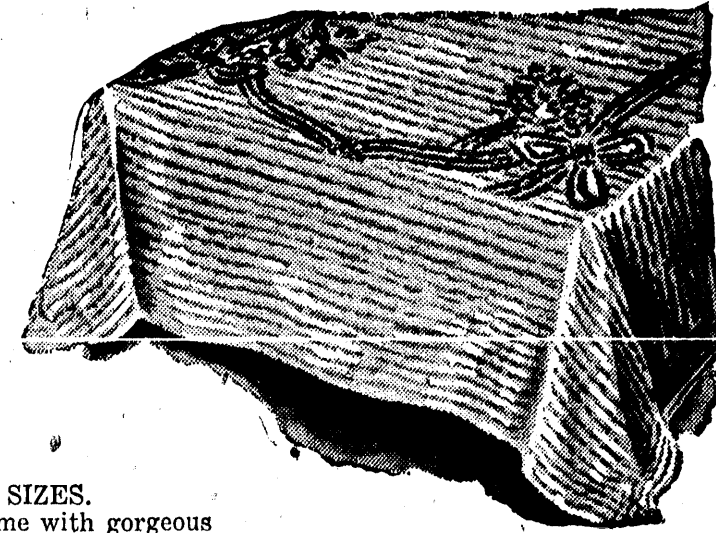
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Style Revue Attracts Fashionable Monroe Almost En Masse Wednesday Night

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A brilliant event that attracted at least seven hundred women and a generous sprinkling of men to the terrace of the Frances Hotel Wednesday night was the Fashion Revue sponsored by St. Anne's Circle and St. Matthew's High School Sodality.

After a season of whistling winds and cold weather women look forward with an anticipatory thrill to the new spring clothes and those shown in Wednesday night's revue served as a regular spring tonic. Even the children were remembered in the showing of fashions featuring gowns for every hour of the day, and for every occasion. The print dresses, many of them with bustle effect, reminiscent of a by-gone era were viewed with keen interest as prints are the most popular of all materials this year. The evening gowns were certainly the most glamorous ever shown in Monroe. One in particular of white crepe, Princess style, with narrow slit

skirt and with a gold leaf design running from the neckline to the hemline, was a creation of something to dream about.

Miss Lallage Feazel, announcer, wearing a black crepe dinner model, slit to the knee and fashioned with a tunic and bodice of imported lace lined with flesh satin, stood at the microphone and announced in dramatic manner, the type of gowns worn and the names of the mannequins.

A prelude to the showing of fashions for the 1947 season was the exhibit of costumes that have come and gone for nearly 100 years. Several gowns dated back to the days when seamstresses worked for days and

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED



Miss Virginia Russo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Russo, of St. Martinville, La., whose engagement and approaching marriage to Mr. Francis Paul Danna, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Danna, of this city, is formally announced today.

weeks to produce a dress at a total cost that would be high even by today's standards. Incidentally the women who wore these costumes probably had their smelling salts in the deep pocket beneath the draperies because Mammy spent half an hour lacing her down to a 18-inch waist.

The influence in today's fashions was recognized in the gown modeled by Miss Peggy Morrison. It is owned by Mrs. C. P. Guerriero, Sr., and was worn for the first time to the St. Louis Cathedral in New Orleans on July 19, 1890. Mrs. Guerriero was then Miss Nuncia Marceau and this dress was one of her loveliest gowns. It is hand-made of grey moire with long, full skirt with inserts of lace and smocking. The sleeves puffed high at the shoulder are long and tight fitting.

When Miss Azemar Trouard became the bride of Mr. John Breard in 1882 at St. Matthew's Church she wore a handsome brocaded silk trimmed in imported lace. The draped skirt is fashioned with a bustle and the basque is tight fitting and buttoned straight down the front. The square neckline is trimmed with ruching. This costume was modeled by Miss Pauline Breard.

One of the gowns worn by Mrs. Victor Barringer when she attended teas back in the days when Monroe was a sleepy little southern town and society was spelled with a large S, made of rustling lavender taffeta (the kind that stood alone). It is trimmed in black chiffon with black lace inserts on the tight fitting bodice. A large green velvet bow adorns the draped skirt and the grille. This dress was made by a fashionable modiste of New

York City. With this costume Mrs. Barringer carried a coquettish black lace parasol. Miss Rosanne Reid modeled the dress and parasol.

Time marches on... it's the year 1907 and Mrs. M. A. McHenry dresses for a lecture. The gown is a beautiful creation of black silk heavily beaded in jet. The sleeves are puffed high at the shoulder and the basque is tight fitting. The skirt is long but without a bustle as they are now considered passe. Mrs. McHenry is 89 years old but the dress is one of her cherished possessions. She consented to model this gown at Wednesday night's style revue and proved to be the outstanding figure of the evening. She walked down the ramp in the glaring spotlight, with as much sangfroid as in the old days when she was a reigning belle and the toast of Monroe. She was escorted by Mr. Thomas Serwich and nodded from side to side at old friends and admirers many of whom attended the revue for the purpose of seeing Mrs. McHenry. The years seemed to slip away in so far as the homage paid this wonderful woman was concerned. She was greeted with spontaneous applause and acknowledged it with characteristic grace. Mrs. McHenry was paid a distinct tribute by Monsignor John March when he addressed the assemblage on behalf of the style revue sponsors.

Mrs. McHenry is cultured to her finger tips. She counted dignitaries, renowned musicians and composers among her intimate friends. She is an accomplished musician and during her girlhood was inspired by the famous musicians who visited in her parents' home. The handsome rosewood grand piano in her home today is the same

one that Rubenstein, famous composer played on when he visited Mrs. McHenry's girlhood home.

It's now 1913 and the new vogue—flat as a pancake and completely uninhibited. Miss Gloria Cooper modeled her mother's wedding dress of cream satin with lace panels. The semi-hobble skirt is very, very new.

The year 1930 finds the Spanish shawl the last word in elegance. Mrs. Kenneth Elliott wore a Spanish shawl when she attended the inaugural ball at the governor's mansion in Baton Rouge. She loaned it for this year's revue. It was worn by Miss Cecile Danna. The gown Mrs. Elliott wore

to the ball was modeled by Miss Terry Lynn de Jaive.

In the year 1921 Miss Edell Stuart who is now Mrs. John Guerriero bought a very beautiful brown suit in this city for her trousseau. The skirt is ankle length and the coat reaches almost to the knees. The sleeves are beautifully embroidered. The hat she wore with this suit was of gold. The entire ensemble was modeled by Miss Mary Louise Guerriero.

An interesting feature of the revue was the showing of a christening robe owned by the R. M. Breard family. It was hand-made in the year 1883 and has been worn by all the children and grandchildren ever since.

When James A. Noe was King of

Osiris during Mardi Gras season, ten or more years ago, Mrs. Noe wore a magnificent white slipper satin evening gown handsomely bejeweled with rhinestones and long court train. This gown was created for Mrs. Noe by a famous Parisian modiste. She modeled this gown Wednesday night. The children weren't forgotten in this year's revue. Many charming little frocks of chambray, light weight wool and prints were shown. The models were: Nancy Anne Albright, Gay Helen Tonore, Marietta Spataro, Linda Noe, Carol Tonore, Ronnie

Wilds, Lynn Lacour, Catherine Juana Guerriero.

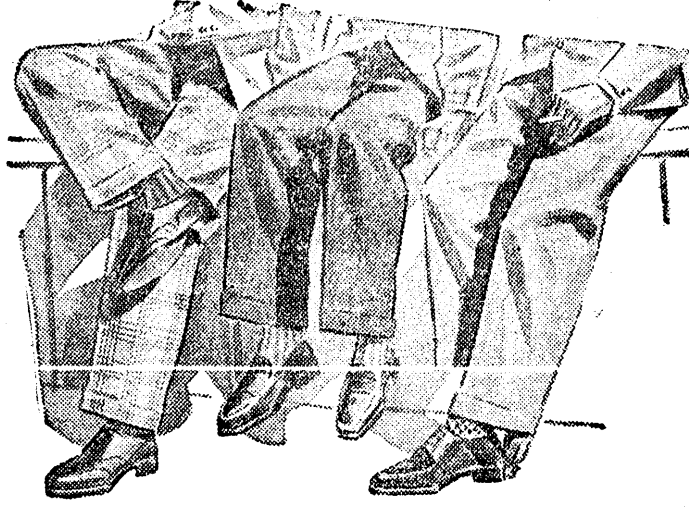
Feminine fashions for 1947 were of deepest concern to Wednesday night's audience. They ran the complete gamut from morning until night with emphasis on "twilight enchantment." One dress in particular, a black drop-shoulder model with white lace insets was much admired. Another gown of leaf green heavily sequined and worn with a coat of summer ermine was outstanding.

A blue jersey patio dress of a

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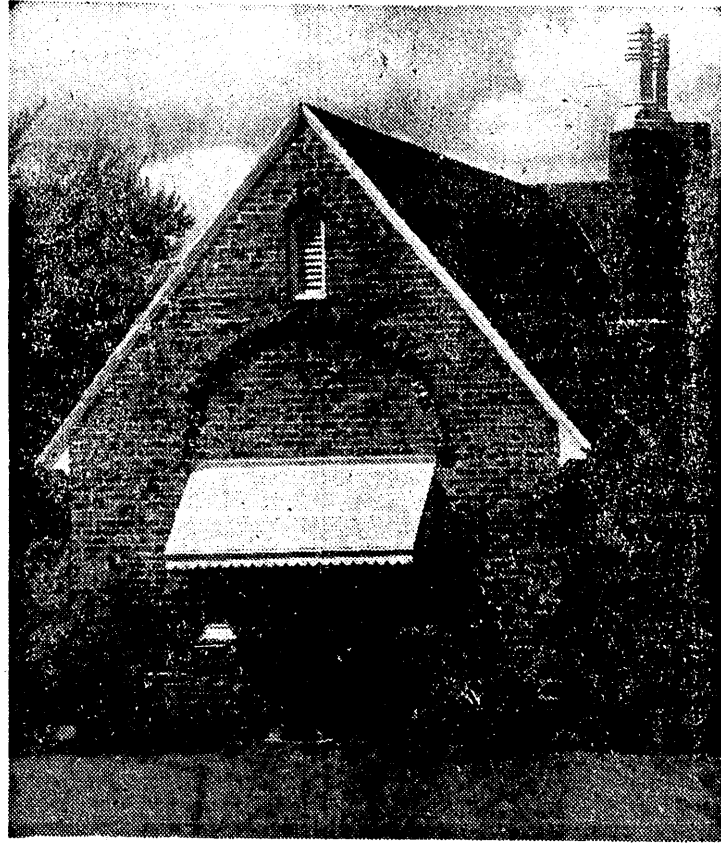
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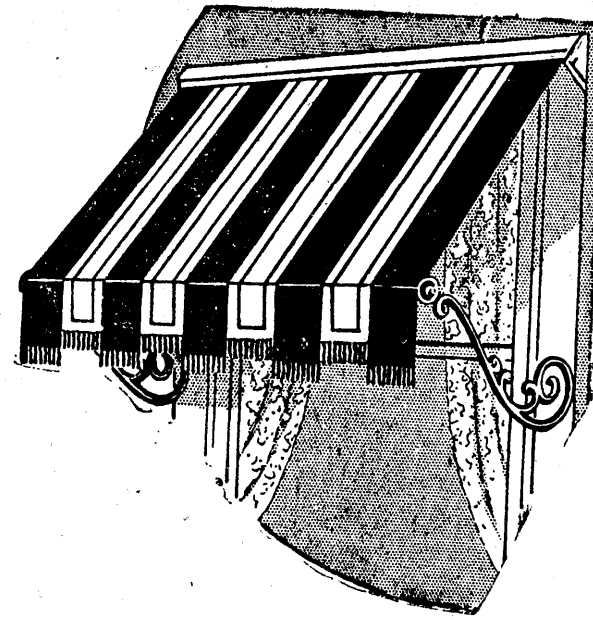
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Annually from Natchez-on-the-Mississippi, ancient jewel of the Deep South, the invitation goes forth to the far corners of the hemisphere. Heralded by magazine, press and radio,

it is borne too in the subtler form of nostalgic envisioning of sunny skies and flower-scented gardens, of soft Southern voices warm in welcome to this friendly land of theirs.

So preparation for the big trek begins. From everywhere inquiries pour in to the two garden clubs regarding this unique "pilgrimage" which so intrigues the imagination that one cannot rest until experiencing it for oneself. From everywhere they come, some in a spirit of doubt, some in

happy anticipation, but all ready for the pilgrimage back to the glamorous era of the Old South. And for those who have not yet visited Natchez at Pilgrimage time there awaits an experience which will linger as one of their pleasantest memories.

It is an interesting fact that in all the nation there is not one other spot in which are grouped so many antebellum homes of historic and architectural interest as in Natchez, Mississippi. Thirty-four of the finest and most outstanding of these homes comprise the tours sponsored by the two garden clubs. They contain the finest collection of antique furniture, china, silver, paintings, etc., to be found in the Natchez country. These houses are grouped into six tours, and three full days are required to see them all, with a morning and afternoon tour each day.

The entire town enters into the spirit of the occasion, and patriotic citizens cooperate with the two garden clubs to the fullest in making the event a success. A Room Committee is formed by the clubs to take care of room reservations, and numbers of lovely private homes open to supply rooms for the overflow of guests, for without these hotels, tourist homes, etc., would be swamped. Citizens also furnish transportation for the tours in their private cars which are registered with the Pilgrimage organization for that purpose. Others register as guides. In the famed Confederate Ball Tableaux citizens take part with a reverent sincerity in presenting one of the most colorful and spectacular pageants staged in America.

During this period Natchez truly rolls back the curtain of a century of time to recreate the fabulous splendor of its romantic past. What wonder then that visitors to Natchez at Pilgrimage time inevitably fall under the spell of its magic reincarnation and take with them forever the memory of enchanting days they have spent in this historic city of treasures.

Full information of the event can be had by writing the Natchez Pilgrimage at Natchez, Mississippi.

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Praise for work well done goes today to members of St. Anne's circle of the St. Matthew's church and especially the president, Mrs. Burl Hollis. The style revue presented with considerable eclat last Wednesday night on the Frances hotel terrace was a splendid success due to the advance work done by Mrs. Hollis and members of her committee all of whom wore lovely evening gowns, and extended a personal welcome. The officers are Mrs. Hollis, president; Mrs. Morris DeLarot, first vice-president; Mrs. Charles Brogan, second vice-president; Mrs. A. V. Breard, secretary and Mrs. George Guerriero, treasurer.

Members of St. Anne's circle will be able to wind up their year's work with the knowledge that they have made a vast contribution to their church and their society.

St. Anne's Circle was organized in 1934, under the direction of Rev. R. M. Gremillion, assistant pastor of St. Matthew's Church, with the able assistance of Mrs. Hollis and Mrs. Reynolds McWilliams, with Mrs. McWilliams being elected the first president.

The purpose of the circle is to raise money for the church and help in any of its activities.

Mrs. Gladys Miles of this city, state president of the Louisiana Business and Professional Women's clubs spent Saturday in Alexandria in conference with club members of that city.

Alexandria will be hostess to the State Convention, May 16, 17, 18, and plans were discussed and formulated to entertain approximately 300 delegates and guests at that time. Miss Florence Cartwright, National Recording Secretary, will be the speaker at the formal banquet to be held at the Bentley Hotel, May 17th.

Mrs. Miles also attended a meeting of District No. 2 in Lake Charles, Sunday, February 9th. She will attend the meeting of District 1 in New Orleans Feb. 16 and in Shreveport, Feb. 23.

The Louisiana Federation of Business and Professional Women's Club has been given special honors for the outstanding increase in membership, being one of the six states showing a gain of over 25 percent in membership for the first six months of the Club year. Chapters will be presented to four new Clubs this month: Crowley, Oakdale, Eunice and Jackson, La. Baton Rouge, now boasts two Clubs, a charter having been granted to the Capital City Club, making that city the first in the state to sponsor two clubs.

Confidentially

Belhaven College at Jackson, Mississippi, has announced that Miss Ann Crandall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Crandall of Monroe, and Virginia Roundtree, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Roundtree of Newellton, are among the students who are listed on the college Dean's list for the first semester of the school year. The Dean's list is made up of all students who have an average of 90 for the semester's work and a record free from demerits. Both Miss Crandall and Miss Roundtree are members of the Freshman class at Belhaven.

Benjamin F. Gray, of Monroe, La.,

announces the marriage of his daughter, Lilliam of Nashville, to Joseph William Vann, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Vann of Sylacauga, Ala.

The ceremony will take place February 21 at the home of Dr. and Mrs. B. H. Moon on Nineteenth Avenue, Nashville, Tenn.

Miss Gray, daughter of the late Mrs. Gray, is a graduate of Ouachita Parish High School and Northeast Junior College of Louisiana State University in Monroe. She is a graduate of the Tri-State Hospital School of Nursing at Shreveport, La., and is now attending Vanderbilt University.

Mr. Vann, a graduate of Sylacauga High School, served 32 months with the United States Marine Corps having spent 18 months in the Pacific theater. He is now attending George Peabody College for Teachers.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd A. Temple of Fairview, Okla., announce the arrival of their first child, a daughter, Beverly Doris, born February 8, at the Smith clinic in Fairview. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Temple Sr., of Rayville, and maternal

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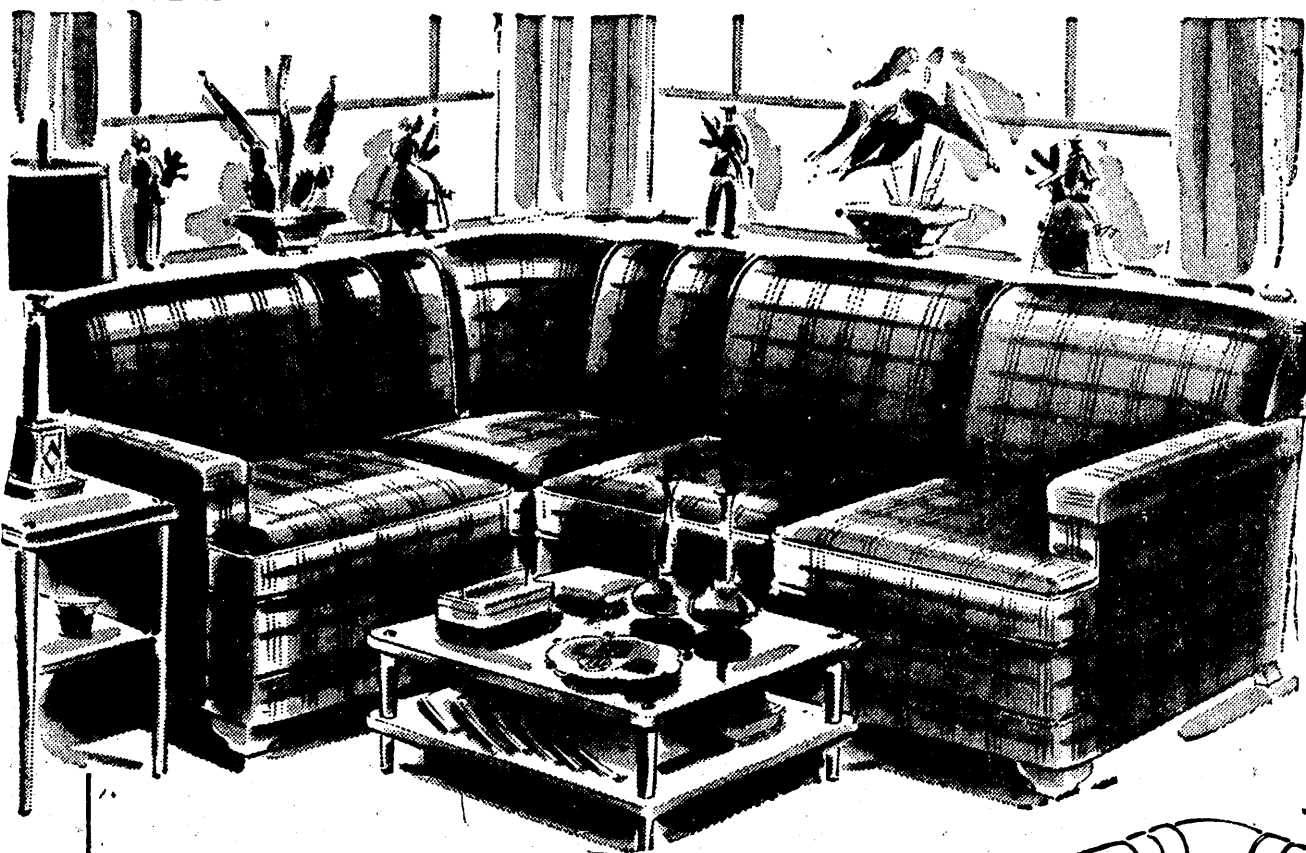
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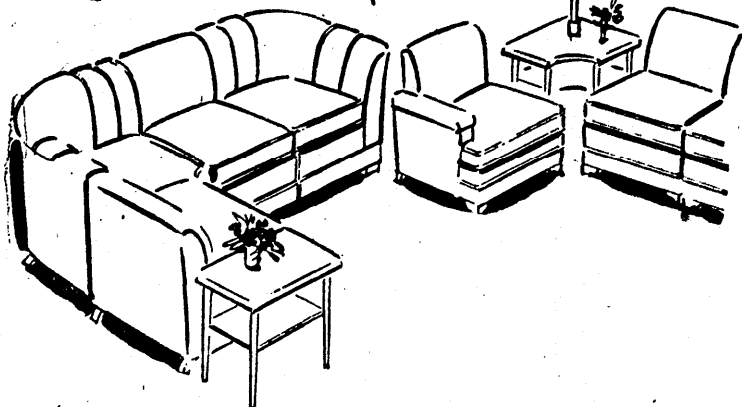
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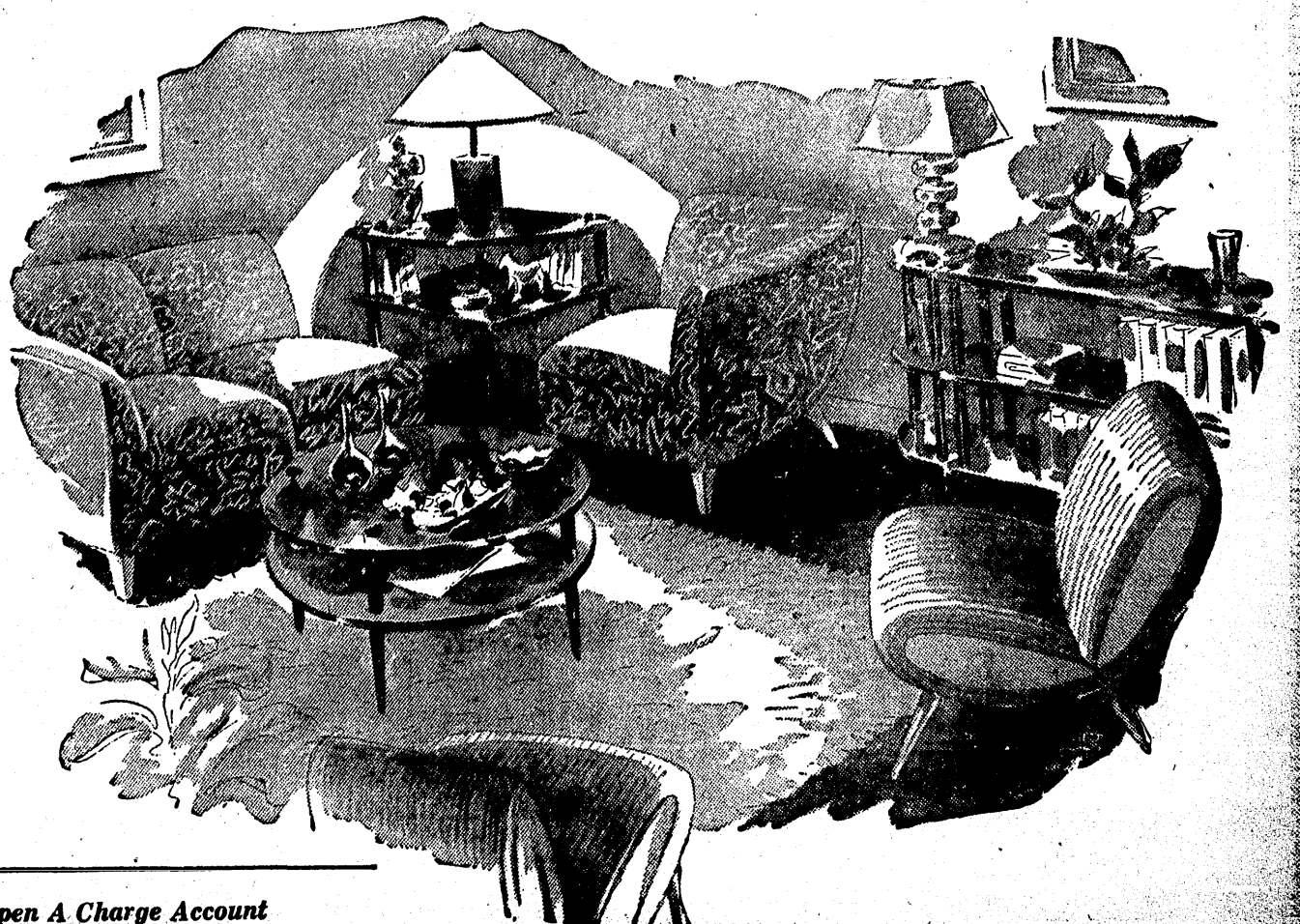
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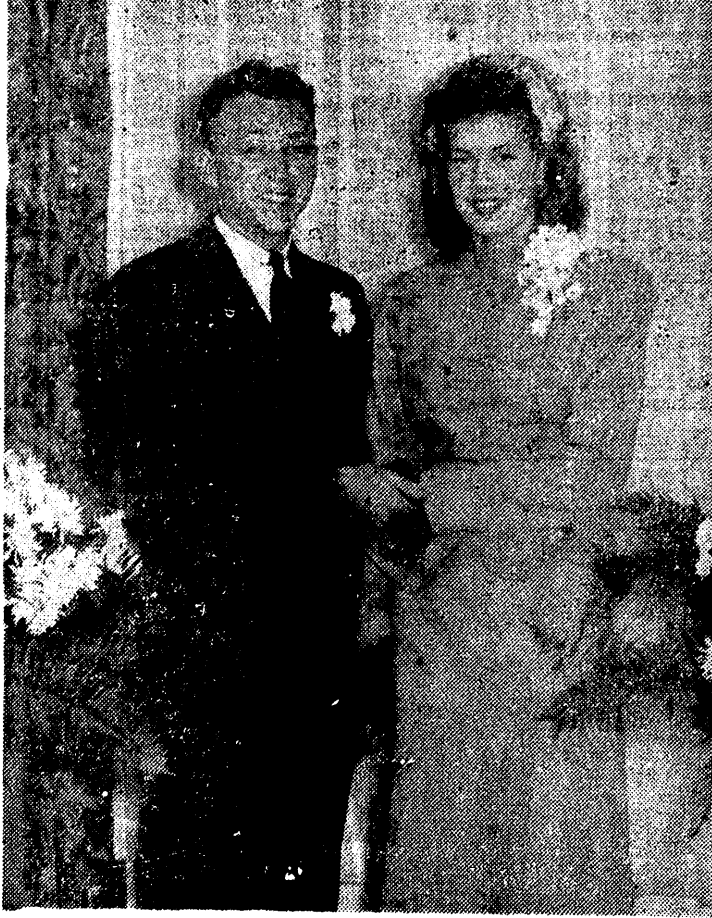


For the past several weeks the Y-Teens, Junior Members, of the Young Women's Christian Association which is one of the Agencies of the Twin City Community Chest, have been busily engaged in many activities and much planning. Committees from the various groups have been planning for "special socials" for their particular clubs such as the Valentine Party which the Jolly Y-Janes and the Triads had on Friday night at the "Y" or the "Two-Way" Party the Y-Awake Club, will have on February 21st. Speaking of special socials, this past week the groups entertained with a Valentine Tea for the faculty of the Ouachita Parish Grammar School on Wednesday and for the faculty of the Parish High School on Thursday. Practice on Friday afternoon, practice at noon on Tuesday, practice . . . practice" were familiar words for the Y-Teens the past few weeks for the girls were in charge of an assembly program at the Ouachita Parish High School on Thursday.

Miss Marabett Carbone of Massena, New York, and who has been attending Boston University is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Spight. She is enjoying the nice warm weather of Monroe as compared to the frozen St. Lawrence River region where she lives.

Mrs. M. L. Gill and Mrs. Maud Selig will be hosts to their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. Jack Selig who will arrive here on Monday from their present home in Chicago.

NEWLYWEDS



Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Smith whose marriage was an interesting event of recent date. Mrs. Smith is the former Miss Eloise Baugh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Pylant. Mr. Smith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Smith.

SOCIAL HOUR IS FEATURE OF THE FEBRUARY MEETING OF THE READER'S CLIQUE

A delightful social hour in the hospitable home of Mrs. Fred Parrish was enjoyed by members of the Reader's Clique following their regular business meeting with Mrs. Jack Masur, the president, presiding.

Reports were given by committee chairmen and a meeting of her committee was called by the chairman of the Easter egg project, Mrs. Evans Etheridge, for Wednesday afternoon.

Following the business meeting, the remainder of the afternoon was devoted to rummy and bridge which replaced the regular program.

During the social hour the hostess served delicious refreshments from a beautifully appointed table in the dining room. An immense crimson satin heart was used for the central decor. Crystal candelabra, tied with red ribbon, completed the arrangements, and supporting slender tapers were placed at either end of the table.

Those present were: Mrs. H. C. Meneau, Mrs. Evans Etheridge, Mrs. T. F. Wilson, Mrs. Ray Undergraff, Mrs. Walter Ryland, Jr., Mrs. Louis Peters, Mrs. Fred Parrish, Mrs. G. L. Morgan, Mrs. Jack Masur, Mrs. Oliver Lowery, Mrs. Ivy Jordan, Mrs. Raymond John, Mrs. Mike John, Jr., Mrs. Burl Hollis, Mrs. Sidney Gill, Mrs. Edwin Crowley, Mrs. Joe Bennett, Mrs. Stanley Archibald, Mrs. Clay Albright, Mrs. T. B. Godfrey, Mrs. G. M. Mott, and Mrs. R. C. Todd.

Mrs. Jack Masur, Mrs. Oliver Lowery, Mrs. Ivy Jordan, Mrs. Raymond John, Mrs. Mike John, Jr., Mrs. Burl Hollis, Mrs. Sidney Gill, Mrs. Edwin Crowley, Mrs. Joe Bennett, Mrs. Stanley Archibald, Mrs. Clay Albright, Mrs. T. B. Godfrey, Mrs. G. M. Mott, and Mrs. R. C. Todd.

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SPRINGTIME EVENT

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heavenly shade of blue with scarf attached to be worn over the head was really enchanting.

This will evidently be a suit year. One of the most stunning suits in the revue was of moonlight blue and still another was a blazer coat of beige with dark brown skirt. Thrush and beige was another charming color combination.

A moonlight blue challis with shoulder and neckline beautifully beaded was a poem of loveliness.

Another costume much admired was for the young matron. It was made with a jacket and hood and when taken off it became a formal evening gown.

Only for the daring is the black and white striped taffeta bustle back creation modeled by Mrs. Drew Davidson. This extreme gown is only for the woman with beautiful shoulders. It was one of the sensational gowns of the evening.

For the young girl, vibrant with life, ready to dance for hours, a bouffant ball gown was shown. It was of black organza with dramatic inserts of white lace.

The hats shown in the revue were simply charming with the off-the-face type the most favored of all. Wide brimmed milans of navy and black and the much favored small flower hat were also shown.

The grand finale featured a wedding scene with the beautiful bride, Miss Betty Wilds, wearing a period gown of white satin with traditional tight fitting basque embroidered in seed pearls. The skirt, long and full, ended in a sweeping train. The veil of illusion was caught to the hair with a tiara of tucked illusion. She carried

a gorgeous bouquet of white bride's roses, hyacinth and purple orchids.

Gowns for the mothers of the bride and groom were shown. Mrs. A. D. Tisdale modeled an elegant evening model. The black skirt was slit to the knee and the blouse was of white crepe embroidered in silver bugle beads. The sleeves were the new bell flower shape. Her corsage was of double Parma violets.

Mrs. A. M. Guerrero modeled a "Miss America" black dinner gown beautifully embroidered in tanager sequins. A head dress fashioned of fuchsia colored double-wood violets was worn.

The bridesmaids, Miss Mary Anita Lennon and Miss Patricia Guerrero, wore duplicate gowns of pink and blue marquisette fashioned with three-quarter length, full sleeves. The bodices were fitted and had a boat neckline. The skirts, blown-glass shape, were aproned and caught with bouffant bustles adorned with matching flowers. They carried romantic bouquets of pink carnations and blue candy tuft.

The mannequins were: Miss Peggy Mirron, Miss Roseanne Reid, Miss Monica Ann Ritter, Miss Mary Anita Lennon, Miss Pauline Breard, Miss Margaret Hauser, Miss Ellen Brown, Mrs. A. M. Guerrero, Mrs. A. D. Tisdale, Miss Mary Louise Guerrero, Miss Betty Wilds, Mrs. Roark Phillips, Mrs. James Phillips, Miss Janet Voorhies, Miss Eloise Rimes, Miss Sarah Ritter, Miss Helen Wilds, Miss Gloria Cooper, Miss Cecile Danna, Miss Terry deJaive, Mrs. Clay Albright, Mrs. Drew Davidson, Miss Patricia Guerrero, Mrs. R. E. Holloway and Miss Alice Rolfeigh.

The setting for this year's style revue was designed and executed by Ralph Keenon. An Art Museum motif was used with the walls of light blue with abstract pictures sketched on either side. A large gold leaf frame centered the stage and in the alcove was seen a light blue piece of statuary on a tall ivy entwined pedestal.

Mrs. Charles Bennett, pianist provided the music for the occasion. Highlighting the revue was the song number presented by Miss Charlotte Miller with Mrs. Florence Allbritton, piano accompanist.

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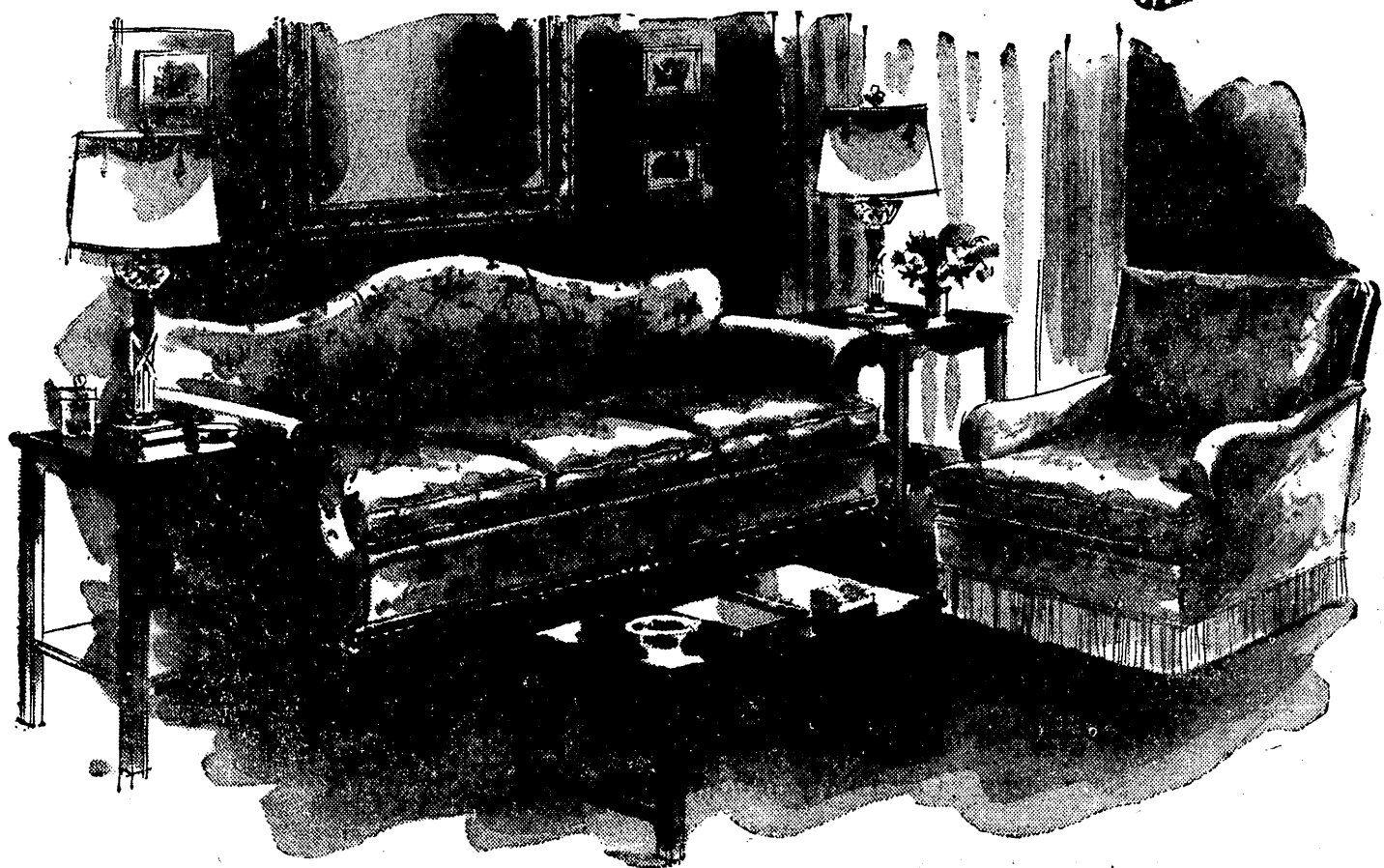
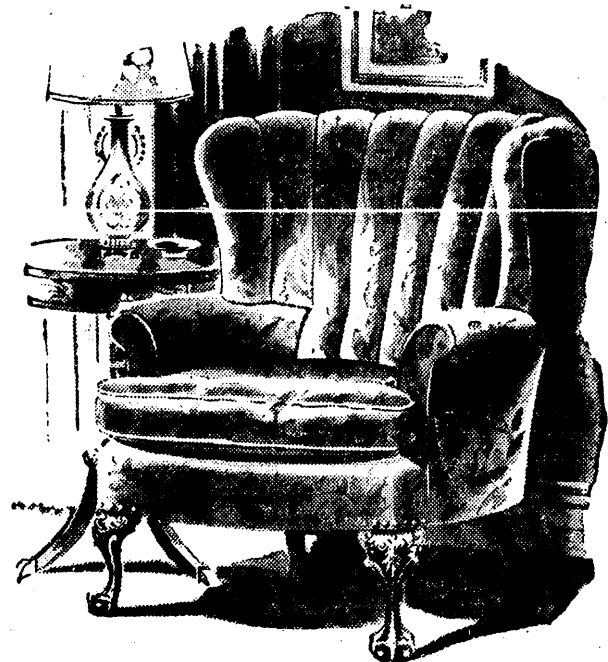
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CIVIC MUSIC ASSOCIATION CONCERT TO TAKE PLACE AT OUACHITA SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

A Sunday afternoon concert of rare charm is in store for members of the Civic Music association on February 23, when the National Male quartet will be presented at the Ouachita Parish High School auditorium at 3 p. m. This concert is considered by Civic Music association members to be the highlight of the winter concert season. The quartet comprises four noted singers whose voices have charmed audiences from coast to coast. Attilio Baggiore, the gifted tenor, studied in Naples. One spring night he had dinner on the terrace of the Hotel Tramontano, looking across the Bay of Naples to the smoky plume of Mt. Vesuvius. It was a warm night. All the windows of the hotel were open. When after dinner the tenor was prevailed upon to sing a few songs, a lady appeared in one of them applauding and crying "Bravo". That lady was Luisa Tetrazzini, the world-famous coloratura soprano, then planning her farewell tour of Europe. She gave the young American singer an audition the next day. And she engaged him as her assisting artist for the entire season.

Attilio Baggiore was later to return to Naples to become a member of the San Carlo Opera company. He served his operatic apprenticeship in the Opera House of Bari, and graduated to four years of roles at the Royal House in Rome. He also sang in Florence and Bologna, Zurich and Berne, Amsterdam and Rotterdam, Tunis and Algiers, Cairo and Alexandria.

Baggiore came back to his native land on the crest of the wave of his European success. He made a spectacular American debut as Edgardo in "Lucia de Lammermor" at the Chicago

Civic Opera House a decade ago. Since then, he has continued his grand opera career and branched out into light opera in Los Angeles production of "Maytime". He has given hundreds of concerts throughout the United States and Canada. He has appeared as soloist with such leading orchestras as the Chicago Symphony under Frederick Stock and the Indianapolis Symphony under Fabien Sevitzky. For nine years Mr. Baggiore's voice has been heard weekly over WGN and the Mutual Broadcasting System. He has been featured as guest-soloist on the Swift, General Motors, and Chase and Sanborn programs.

Margaret Vaughan Weds N. Sisson In Double-Ring Rite

In a beautiful ceremony Sunday evening, Jan. 26 at the Broadmoor Methodist Church, Miss Margaret Vaughan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Vaughan of Shreveport, formerly of Monroe, La., became the bride of Norman Sisson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sisson of Topeka, Kan. The Rev. R. W. Vaughan of Ruston, grandfather of the bride, and the Rev. Leonard Cooke officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Lovely arrangements of gladioli, trailing greenery, and white tapers in floor candelabra formed the background for the exchange of vows. A program of nuptial music was rendered by Mrs. J. C. Byars, Mrs. D. McCravy sang "Because" by Endilot and "I Love You Truly" by Carrie Jacobs Bond. The candles were lighted by Robert Vaughan, brother of the bride, and William Manning, cousin of the bride.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was lovely in her wedding gown of ivory duchess satin. The dress was fashioned with fitted bodice, a yoke of rose point lace, and a sweetheart neckline outlined with seed pearls. The long sleeves ended



Mrs. Norman Sisson, the former Miss Margaret Vaughan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Vaughan, formerly of this city, is shown with her wedding attendants. Reading from left to right they are: Miss Louise Manning, Miss Kate White, Miss Betty Johnson, Miss Joe Warren and Miss Helen Stevenson.

in lily points over the hands. From the fitted bodice the full skirt extended into a long train. Her veil of illusion fell from a coronet adorned with seed pearls. Her bridal bouquet was a semi-colonial arrangement of white carnations and tube roses centered with an orchid, tied with satin and maline from which fell satin streamers caught with rosebuds. Her only ornament was a gold necklace fashioned from two heirlooms, the carin having belonged to her paternal great-grandmother, and the cross, to her maternal great-grandmother. The maid of honor, Miss Kate White, the bridesmaids, Miss Helen Stevenson, Miss Joe Warren, Miss Louise Manning, Miss Betty Johnson, and the flower girl, little Miss Louise Sheppard, wore identical gowns of wine velvet with full bodices, full skirts, and hip drapes which flowed into graceful tunics. They wore pink off-the-face hats of maline with satin bows and carried bouquets of pink carnations tied with pink satin ribbons.

James Justice served the bridegroom as best man and the ushers were Robert Vaughan, William Manning, Byron Teekel, and John H. Laughlin. Little Frank Sheppard, cousin of the bride, served as ring bearer. The traditional wedding marches marked the beginning and end of the ceremony.

Immediately following the wedding

a reception was held at the Vaughan home on East Kings Highway.

In the dining room the bride's table was covered with a white maderia banquet cloth, centered with an arrangement of gladioli and eucalyptus flanked with tall white tapers in silver candelabra. At one end of the table was the three-tiered wedding cake embossed with rosebuds and topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom, and at the other end was the crystal punch bowl. Mrs. W. F. Manning, aunt of the bride, served the cake, and Mrs. R. W. Vaughan and Mrs. Lula B. Sheppard, grandmothers of the bride, alternated at the punch bowl.

For traveling Mrs. Sisson wore a gray wool suit with matching accessories. Her corsage was the orchid from her bridal bouquet. The couple will be at home in Lawrence, Kan., where Mr. Sissons will attend the University of Kansas.

Mrs. Sisson is a graduate of Byrd High School and Louisiana Polytechnic Institute and attended Neville High School, Monroe, La., where she was drum major of the band. She was a member of D. B. S. sorority. Mr. Sisson served as captain in the Army Air Corps, spending three years overseas.

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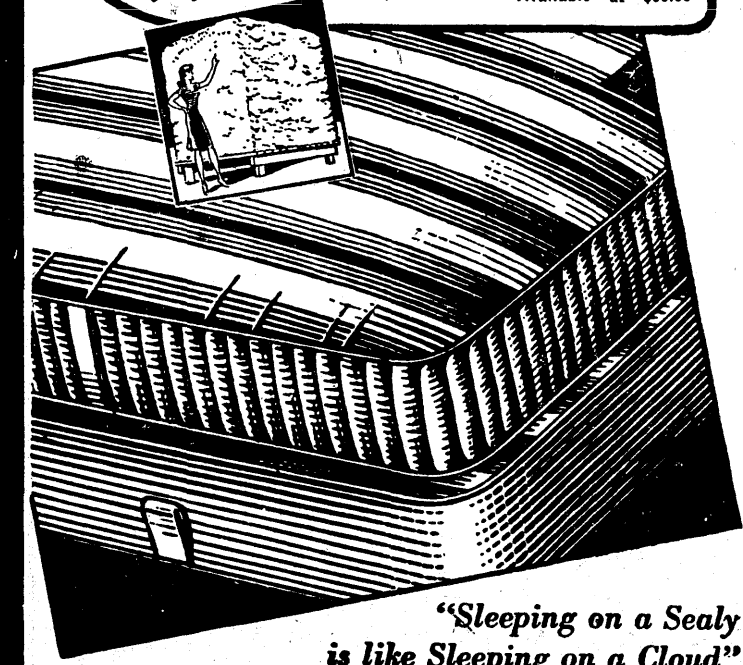
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A Tract of the Month program has also been accelerated by the League with the express purpose of initiating a wide distribution of tracts which reveal the ever important factor of making our selves available to God. The tract for the current month is entitled "Why Go to Church?" Trinity Lutheran Church, Harrison and D'Arbonne streets, 2 blocks South of Northeast Junior College, is the Walther League local headquarters.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lee Watson of New Orleans have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Janet Watson, to Mr. Robert David Mosely, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Mosely of Minden, La. The wedding will take place

March 15 in the home of Miss Watson's cousin, Mrs. James P. Ewin and Mr. Ewin on Prytanis street, New Orleans. Miss Watson is a graduate of Ursuline college, where she was a member of Kappa Gamma Pi, national honorary scholastic sorority. Her mother was before her marriage, Miss Mary Havard of New Orleans and Greenwood Plantation, near Cheneyville, La. The bride is a great niece of Mrs. Joseph Curry of St. Joseph and a cousin of Mr. Oliver Watson of Lakewood Plantation near St. Joseph.

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Rev. C. B. Robinson, Pastor-Elect

All services are held for the time being in the Ouachita Parish Library Building, West Monroe.

REGULAR SERVICES

Sunday:

Sunday School 9:45 A. M.

Sunday Service 11:00 A. M.

Wednesday

Young Peoples 6:30 P. M.

Evening Services 7:30 P. M.

Rev. Charley B. Robinson will be installed as Pastor of the Church Wednesday night at 7:30 P. M. in the Ouachita Parish Library Building by a commission of Ministers and Elders of Red River Presbytery.

The public is cordially invited to attend this service, and also the Open House Reception afterwards, when the congregation and general public will meet and welcome Rev. and Mrs. Robinson and their family.

Besides the Pastor's experience in the work of the Church he spent over five years as Chaplain in the Armed Forces, and aided the men in many ways and accompanied them in many dangers. As counsellor and friend he won the hearts of the soldiers.

Rev. Robinson believes that West Monroe has an unusual opportunity for a strong Presbyterian Church, and that is his ambition to lead the people in providing West Monroe with an evangelistic, friendly and helpful congregation of zealous Christian people. "There is a great work to do."

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The laymen of Red River Presbytery will meet with us Wednesday February 19.
The Rev. Dr. H. H. Thompson will be our guest speaker, Wednesday evening, February 19, 7:30 o'clock. He is the assembly's agent working in behalf of Evangelism.

MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Charley B. Robinson, Pastor
Fred Hoffman, Sunday School Supt.
Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 11:00 a. m. Subject: "Our Security in Life."
Young People's meeting, 6:00 p. m. Evening worship, 7:30 p. m. Subject: "The Cleansing Grace of God."
Installation services Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. installing Rev. Charley B. Robinson as pastor of the Memorial Presbyterian Church.

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

West Monroe
The subject of the morning message by the co-pastor will be "The Road to the Cross." From Bethlehem to Calvary was a long, rugged road, but not one time did our Lord refuse or even hesitate to travel it, conscious that the only means of redemption for the crown of creation rested upon Calvary's hill. The subject of the evening message will be "Vomited or Digested."

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship at 10:50 a. m. Baptist Crusade at 1:30 p. m. Training Union and Brotherhood at 6:30 p. m. Evening worship at 7:30 p. m.
Sunday School lesson taught over KMLB at 5:00 p. m. Saturday.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

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Rev. W. H. Giles, Pastor
Dr. Rodney Cline, dean of North-east Junior College, will deliver the address at the morning service hour Sunday.
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Morning Worship, 10:45 a. m.
League meetings, 6:30 p. m.

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J. E. Rainer, Sunday School Supt.
Mrs. W. B. Nelson, BTU Director
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W. M. U. circles one and two will meet at church, 2:00 p. m. Tuesday for Royal Service.

We have four young men selected for our Youth's Revival, beginning April 20th.

Our Brotherhood were guests of the Transylvania Baptist Church last Sunday evening where they put on a program for that church. We are looking forward to many more enjoyable missions.

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B. T. U. and Brotherhood, 6:00 p. m.
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"The Birth of the Soul" will be the subject of the pastor Sunday at 11 a. m. "The Power of Gospel Preaching," will be the subject at 7:15 p. m. Sunday School, 10 a. m. Orville Hayton, superintendent; Training Union, 6:15 p. m. F. A. Brown, president; W. M. U. Tuesday, 2 p. m. Mrs. F. A. Brown, president.

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Members of the Monroe Literary Club met for their annual luncheon at the Frances Hotel with Mrs. J. E. Shannon and Mrs. Victor Weber, hostesses. The club officers posing for their picture, are, from left to right, top row: Mrs. R. C. Brice, Mrs. S. E. Morris, Mrs. A. B. Colmer, Mrs. W. L. Jones, Jr., and Mrs. Guy DuPriest. Left to right, seated, are: Mrs. C. D. McAdams, Mrs. J. R. Roark and Mrs. S. E. Holloway.

morial auditorium at 10 a. m. Bennie H. Andrews is teacher. We extend to men not in Sunday School a cordial invitation to visit this class.

PENIEL BAPTIST CHURCH

Jonesboro Road
(West Monroe)
Rev. J. H. Keys, Pastor
Mrs. Elizabeth Price, Sunday School Superintendent

Mrs. Aline Davis, B. T. U. Director
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.
Training Union and Brotherhood, 6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship, 7:30 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

Although we have begun wrecking our old educational building, preparing to move into the new one, we will not be handicapped for classroom space this week.

If you are attending the prayer services of your church, you don't know what you are missing. In connection with Y. W. A. Focus Week, the Y. W. A.'s had charge of prayer meeting last Wednesday night, rendering a very inspirational program. Services will be held as usual on this Lord's day. You are invited to come and worship with us.

EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH

North 5th and Beaudre Streets
"In the Heart of Monroe"
N. T. Smith, Pastor
Mrs. Helen Thompson, Financial Secretary
Mrs. Dorothy Harbour, Church Secretary

Church Office Phone 3074
The Emmanuel Baptist Church extends a welcome to all who have no church home to worship with us this Lord's day.

Sunday School, 9:45, Worship Service, 10:50.
Altar prayer meeting at the church 2:30.
B. T. U. and Brotherhood, 6:30.
Evangelistic message 7:30.
W. M. S. each Tuesday evening at 7:30.

Midweek prayer service each Wednesday night at 7:30.
Pastor will bring a special message to the youth and young people at the Sunday morning hour using for his scripture reading, Philippians 4th chapter 11th verse, "Meeting Bravely Life Losses."

COLLEGE PLACE BAPTIST CHURCH

(Two Blocks South Of N. J. C.)
301 Sherouse
Pastor, C. S. Cadwallader, Jr.
Director Of Music, D. C. Black

Educational Secretary
Mrs. Mable McDuffie

Bible School, 9:45 a. m. F. M. Durham, superintendent. The church worshipping, 10:50 a. m. Our pastor will bring the morning message, 6:45 the Church Training, C. C. Kornmann, director, Brotherhood, W. L. Jones, president. The church evangelizing, 7:45 p. m.

We will have Dr. Paul Bell to bring our message. Dr. Bell is superintendent of mission work in Central America, under the Home Mission

Board. He is the father of Mrs. C. S. Cadwallader, Jr. His message will be most inspiring. We extend a cordial invitation to everyone who is without a church home in the city to visit with us. Our church has a friendly welcome to all who enter her doors.

THE CHURCH OF GOD

803 Montgomery Street
West Monroe, La.
Rev. W. A. Nicholson, Pastor

9:45 a. m. Sunday School, L. Hendricks, superintendent.
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.
7:00 p. m. Evening Worship.
7:30 p. m. Tuesday, prayer meeting.
7:30 p. m. Friday Young People's Endeavor.

The young people are beginning a contest Friday night between the Blue Eyes and the Brown Eyes. Funds derived will be used for mission work. Rev. John L. Byrd, state superintendent of the Churches of God in Louisiana, will be visiting with us Sunday and will deliver the evening message.

CENTRAL ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Corner Hall And Calypso
L. O. Walden, Pastor

"Have You Seen Jesus?" will be the subject used by Evangelist S. J. Scott at the morning service.
Subject of the evening service will be "The Glory Of The Cross." Mrs. Scott will illustrate in colored chalk the song "There Is A Fountain." The picture will be given to the person bringing the most new people to the service.

Special music of the evening will include another of Mrs. Scott's beautiful variations on the piano, and also a piano accordion selection. See and hear her play them both at the same time in a unique number.

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. H. W. Holdiness, superintendent.
Morning Worship, 11:00 o'clock.
Christ Ambassadors meet at 7:00 p. m. O. F. Millien, president, announces that Mrs. S. J. Scott will be giving a special program for the youth this week.
Evening Evangelistic service at 7:30 p. m.

GORDON AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH

W. H. Carroll, Pastor

We extend to you an invitation to attend any or all of the following services:

Church School, 9:45.
Morning Worship, 11:00.
Youth Fellowship, 5:30.
Evening Worship, 7:15.
Tuesday, February 18: The Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet at the church at 2:30 for their committee meeting.

Wednesday, February 19: Prayer meeting and church rehearsal at the church beginning at 7:00.

A nursery is maintained for small children in the church annex during the morning worship service.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

St. John and Grammont Streets
L. T. Hastings, Pastor

B. B. Fields, Dir. Of Ed. And Music
Miss Billie Farque, Dir. Of Social Aft.
"When Will The Rival Come?" will be the subject of the pastor's message at the morning hour. "Sin and a Sin Offering at the Door" will be the theme for the evening message, continuing our thoughts upon the opening chapters of Genesis.

E. H. Miller, superintendent of our

Sunday School and Mrs. Forest Seaman, director of Training Union expect record attendance at the various services Sunday. The brotherhood and deacons will conduct cottage prayer meetings next week in preparation for our revival which begins March 5; Dr. J. W. Storer, Tulsa, Oklahoma the evangelist.

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH

West Monroe
Filler J. Seal, Pastor

Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Worship at 11 a. m.
Baptist Training Union and Brotherhood at 6:30 p. m.
Song and sermon at 7:30 p. m.
Rev. Seal will deliver a message on "A Man With A Conviction," II Kings, Chapter 5, in the 11:00 o'clock hour. The evening message will be "Backsliders," Hosea 11:7. Come, hear and heed the admonitions of the Lord.

GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Edward Farnen Hayward, Rector
William V. Albert, Curate

Services in Grace Church for this Sunday, February 16, Quinquagesima Sunday, will be as follows:
The Holy Eucharist at 7:30 a. m.
The Church School at 9:25 a. m.
Choral Eucharist and Sermon at 11:00 a. m.
Wednesday of this week is Ash Wednesday, the first day of Lent the services for the day will be as follows:
The Holy Eucharist at 7:20 a. m.
The Holy Eucharist with hymns at 10:00 a. m.
Evensong and sermon at 7:30 p. m.

FIRST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

E. T. Harris, Pastor
Thomas And Richmond Avenues

Sunday School, S. P. Quigley superintendent, 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship, 10:50 a. m.
Juniors meeting, Mrs. H. T. Ward and Mrs. Kathryn Lawson, supervisors, 6:30 p. m.
Young People's meeting, Alton Smith president, 6:30 p. m.
Evening evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m.

Rev. Elbert Dodd, district super-

intendent of the Louisiana district church of the Nazarene will conduct a week's meeting for the first church Feb. 18 through Feb. 23. Rev. Dodd is a forceful speaker and is liked by members of other denominations, he is in great demand throughout the nation for revivals and Sunday school conventions. First Church feels very fortunate in being able to bring Rev. Dodd to Monroe at this time. We are inviting our friends to take advantage of this opportunity to hear him. Remember if you wish to attend any of the services at the First Church of the Nazarene, call 522 or 476 for free transportation.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

3400 Lee Avenue
Rev. C. Roger Johnson, Pastor

"The Power of Prayer" will be the subject of the pastor's sermon for the morning worship hour at 11:00 Sunday morning. "The Second Coming Crisis" will be the subject of the pastor's message at the evening worship hour at 7:30 p. m. Services will be held in the church auditorium.

Sunday School classes begin at 9:45 a. m. with classes for every age. Brotherhood and Training Union at 6:30 p. m. Mid-week prayer services are held on Wednesday nights at 7:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

307 North Second Street
L. T. Bivins, President

Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.
Priesthood meeting at 6:30 p. m.
Sacrament meeting at 7:30 p. m.
Relief Society meeting at 2:00 p. m. Tuesday.
M. I. A. meeting at 7:45 p. m. Tuesday.

"It is requisite with the justice of God that men should be judged according to their works; and if their works were good in this life, and the desires of their hearts were good, that they should also, at the last day, be restored unto that which is good. And if their works are evil they shall be restored unto them for evil. Therefore all things shall be restored to their proper order . . . one raised to

happiness according to his desires of the happiness, or good according to his desires of good; and the other to evil according to his desires of evil." (Alma 41:3-5.) Notice in this statement that men are to be judged not only by their works, but by the desires of their hearts also. Also remember this: "We shall have a perfect knowledge of all our guilt, and our uncleanness, and our nakedness; and the righteous shall have a perfect knowledge of their enjoyment, and their righteousness, being clothed with purity, yea, even with the robe of righteousness." (2 Nephi 9:14.)

PARKVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH

(Temporarily Meeting in Georgia Tucker School, 405 Stubbs Avenue)
Rev. Colon P. Coaker, Pastor

Come and worship with us on our Lord's day, Sunday, February 16. Our services are as follows:
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 10:50 a. m.
Baptist Training Union at 6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship at 7:30 p. m.
We also have mid-week prayer services every Wednesday evening at 7:30. The subject of the morning sermon will be "Loyalty To Christ" and at the evening service, "A Charming Sinner."
A cordial welcome awaits you at these services.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Cypress And Crosley
West Monroe
E. L. Tanner, Pastor

L. M. Tidwell, S. S. Superintendent
Services begin with Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11:00 o'clock.
Junior C. A. Service at 6:30 p. m.
Evening Service at 7:30.
Prayer service and preaching Tuesday night.
Young People's service Friday night.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

1100 Jackson Street
John T. Smithson, Minister

Bible Study at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching at 10:50 a. m.
Communion and Fellowship at 11:45 a. m.
Preaching at 7:30 p. m.
Ladies' Bible Study at 2 p. m. Tuesday.

Mid-Week Bible Study at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

The class work is growing along all lines and when the weather is settled and people in general feel better, we hope to have in attendance all we can accommodate. Let us not quit work but do more as the days pass. There is no time now to delay. May we not see you at our services?

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

Harrison And D'Arbonne
2 Blocks South N. J. C.
Rev. N. Widiger, Pastor

The season of Lent in the church will begin February 19 on Ash Wednesday. This is a period of meditation and devotion on the passion and suffering of our Lord. The sermon for Sunday morning service which shall begin at 10:45 will center around the proper Christian observance of this holy period. The subject of the sermon will be "We Stand Beholding." Sunday School and Bible Class will convene at 9:30 a. m.

Wednesday evening Lenten services will be held during the week with the

service beginning at 7:00 p. m. The pastor will speak on the subject, "The Betrayal of Jesus."

The Lutheran Hour with the Dr. W. A. Maier as speaker will be broadcast over station KNOE Sunday afternoon at 2:00.

To those who have no church affiliation, and who wish to draw close to Jesus, a special invitation is given to attend especially the vespers services each Wednesday evening during the season of Lent.

TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH

E. L. Everett, D. D., Pastor

Sunday School at 10 a. m. H. S. Clawson, superintendent. Interesting classes for all. The men are especially invited to attend the pastor's Bible class. Bring your religious problems with you and we will try to help you solve them.
Divine worship at 11 a. m. Sermon theme, "The Palace of Merciful Deeds."
B. T. U. at 6:30 p. m. This is where training in religious services is a specialty and where we learn to perform Christian service by practice.
Evening worship at 7:15 p. m. Sermon theme: "Religion and Common Sense."
Come and worship with us and enjoy the mutual helpfulness of the services.

ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH

Jackson And Grammont Streets
Rt. Rev. Messrs. J. C. Marsh, Pastor

Hours of Masses Sundays, 6:30, 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 a. m.
Baptisms each Sunday afternoon at 4 p. m.
Sunday Evening Devotions each Sunday at 7:30 p. m.
Sunday School for the children who do not attend the Parochial School each Sunday immediately following the 8 o'clock Mass.

Guardian Angel Sunday School for the children of ages from 3 to 5 years during the 9:30 Mass at the school.

St. Vincent De Paul Society meeting each Sunday at 9:30 a. m. at the Rectory.
Week-day Masses at 6:30, 7:00 and 8:00 a. m.
The High Mass and sermon, Feb. 16th and Feb. 23rd will be broadcast over local broadcasting stations.

THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Jackson And Wood Streets
Rev. A. M. Serex, Ph. D., Pastor
Rev. Lea Joyner, Assistant Pastor

The Sunday schedule of services at the First Methodist Church is varied to fit the needs and wishes of those who prefer one specific type of service to another. We hope that you will find, listed below, a service to interest you:
Holy Communion at 8:30 a. m. A reverent, serene, ritualistic service which is brought to a climax with the Sacrament of Holy Communion.

Sunday School for All Departments at 9:30 a. m. During this period, the church is engaged in the study of God's Word. Newcomers are asked to call by the church office to be shown to the proper class.

Morning Worship at 10:45 a. m. A sustained and dignified service in which the pastor's sermon, this week entitled, "Maintaining An Uneasy

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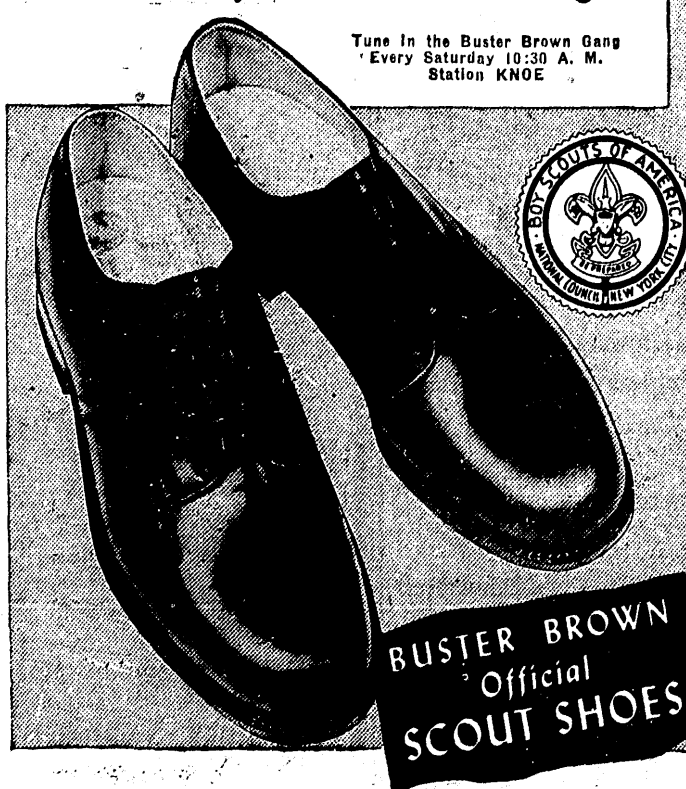
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Churches

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Junior Fellowship at 5:00 p.m. All youth between the ages of 9 and 12 are invited to this worship period designed for this age group.

Youth Recreational Hour at 5:30 p.m. All the Young People's groups come together at this time in the church annex to share refreshments, games and friendly fellowship.

Youth Fellowship at 6:30 p.m. A worship and study period designed and given by and for the Young People.

Evening Service at 7:30 p.m. This week there will be a special service at the evening hour. Rabbi F. K. Hirsch will deliver the sermon in the annual observance of Brotherhood Week at the First Methodist Church. "A special program of sacred Jewish music has been prepared for this service also."

The board of education meeting at 5:00 p.m. Monday.

The W. S. C. S. will meet in committee groups at 3:00 p.m. Tuesday.

The Wesleyan Service Guild will meet in circles at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.

A nursery for small children is maintained in the church annex during the morning worship service.

Again, we invite each and every person to attend the services of the First Methodist Church in which he feels interested.

MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH

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George Pearce, Jr., Pastor
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BRIDE OF RECENT DATE AND HER ATTENDANTS



Mrs. Raymond Sweet, who before her marriage was Miss Dollie Ticheli, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Ticheli, of this city, is seen with her wedding attendants. They are, from left to right: Miss Mary Agnes Rizzo, Miss Joyce Danna, Miss Mona Gardner, Miss Genevieve Castle, Mrs. Sweet, Miss Angeline Sims, Miss Mary Margaret Comrat, Miss Angie Marie Rizzo. The flower girls are: Antoinette Gardner, left, and Mona Anne Ticheli, right.

ject "Come and See," and the choir will sing the anthem, "Thanksgiving and Praise," by T. C. Edwards. Mrs. Harvey Nelson will play for the prelude "Chanson Triste," by Tchaikovsky.

The theme of the 7:30 p.m. service will be "Stewardship of the Person" with a challenge to young people for the dedication of themselves to full-time service for Christ. Taking part in this service will be Vernon Sanders, Jean Bower and Bill Welch.

Sunday School at 9:45 a.m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6:15 p.m., 501 Filthill.
Junior choir at 6:45 p.m.
Alice Motley Class Business and Social, Thursday at 7:30 p. m., 206 Gilbert.

Methodist hour will be observed over KWKH Sunday at 7:30 a.m.

STONE AVENUE METHODIST

I. L. Yeager, Pastor
M. B. Hearne, Sunday School Supt.
"The first lesson in life, and the last, is to obey. Perfect freedom comes only through perfect obedience."

There are numerous ways of spending the Lord's day. The best way, and the only way that yields satisfaction is in worship of Him. We invite you to attend the worship of the day with us, beginning in Sunday School at 9:45 a.m., and to remain for the mid-day service at 10:50. The subject for discussion will be, "Does God Frown Upon Wealth?" Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6:45, and Christian Endeavor at 7 p.m. Evening serv-

LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH

Hyran Barefoot, Pastor
Clifford Foster, Music Director
Charlotte Foster, Pianist
A very cordial invitation is extended to all the people of the Liberty Church Community to attend the services each Sunday. Today we are making a special offering toward our building fund and we urge that every member be present and contribute liberally to that fund. Morning and evening worship services at 11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. Training Union, at 6:30 p.m. Our goal in Sunday School is 80 and our goal in Training Union is 100. Won't you be one of these? Following are the subjects of the pastor's messages for the morning and evening services respectively: "True Worship of God," and "The Work of the First Church."

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

(Disciples Of Christ)
St. John and Oak Streets
R. T. Watson, Minister
E. M. Woolen, Choir Director
Miss Patricia Lee Padgett, Pianist
Church School at 9:45 a. m.
Worship, at 10:50 a. m. The sermon theme, "If You Care, You Will Share." C. Y. F. at 5:30 p. m.
Evening Service, at 7:30. The sermon will be another in the series on misconceptions of the truths of the Bible. Annual Brotherhood dinner, for the entire membership, Wednesday, at 7:00 p. m.

Dodson

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Temple spent Sunday with their son, Judson, and family in Wisner.

Miss Gloria Dell Strong, of Monroe spent the week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Gaharam of Delhi spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Stovall.

Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Simmons and sons were Sunday guests of Mr. Simmons' father, W. M. Simmons of Sikes.

Mrs. Conley Terral is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Vern Smith in Tullos.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Carpenter of Baton Rouge were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Stewart.

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Lake Providence

Friends have learned of the intended visit of Betty Jo Abernethy, Pascagoula, formerly of Lake Providence, to spend the past week-end in New Orleans with Miss Etta Rose DiVenise, another former Lake Providence resident.

Friends regret to learn that Mrs. John J. Nelson was taken to Mercy Hospital, Vicksburg, on Tuesday. While packing for a plane trip to Dallas, Mrs. Nelson was taken suddenly ill Saturday night and not showing any improvement was taken to Vicksburg for hospitalization.

Mrs. Zell Stockner spent the past week in St. Louis buying and had Miss Phyllis Evans as her guest for the Merchants' Banquet. Miss Evans also had the pleasure of phoning her parents for an enjoyable conversation from Mrs. Stockner's hotel room.

The Eastern Stars entertained the Masons at a banquet at the Masonic Hall on Monday.

After the delightful repast a full discussion was held by members of both orders on the possibilities and necessities of finding another location for the lodge.

This joint meeting was so thoroughly enjoyed that a decision was reached to meet together more frequently in the future.

Miss Joe Rene Myers came home from M. S. C. W., Columbus, Miss., to spend the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Myers and sister, Pat Myers.

Mrs. Bessie Leaster, after spending several months here with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Levy, and in Vicksburg to be at the bedside of her brother, Golden Leigh Levy, after his accident and until he was at home and able to be out and about, left the past week for Mem-

phis, accompanied by G. L. Levy, to attend the wedding of their nephew, Mr. J. Lawrence Levy.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bowers and sons recently visited in Farmerville with Mrs. Bowers' brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Gaddis.

Mike Hart is here to spend several weeks with his mother, Mrs. Susan E. Hart. Mike has just returned from a trip to India and docked in New York where he received dental treatment.

Mr. P. Eugene Brunson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith Brunson, and Miss Faye Phelps, Monroe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Newt Tucker, Farmerville, were united in marriage at

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Rev. Paul Elledge, pastor, officiated at the double-ring ceremony. Witnesses were Mrs. Bessie Walsworth and Mrs. Elizabeth Hutchison.

Mr. Brunson is owner and operator of the Electric Shoe Shop, Lake Providence, and Mrs. Brunson is a beautician.

Mrs. Dee Gibson's birthday was celebrated when Mrs. Ruby Whittington entertained at bridge. Guests to enjoy the games and afternoon with the honoree were Mrs. T. S. Sitten, Mrs. S. L. House, Mrs. H. L. Van, Mrs. A. P. Surles, Mrs. H. L. Kennedy, Mrs. O. P. Hamilton, and Mrs. J. J. Nelson. Guests for tea were: Mrs. E. E. Erwin, Mrs. Harry Blount, Mrs. Homer Scherer, Mrs. J. B. Graham, and Mrs. Ike Ezernack.

Mrs. Gibson won high score prize and travelers prize and was presented a birthday gift. Low score prize went to Mrs. Van and Mrs. Sitten cut consolation.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Womack, Denison, Texas, announce the arrival of a daughter, Margaret Kathleen, Tuesday, January 28. Mrs. Womack is the former Margaret Mary Hamley of Lake Providence.

A son, Thomas Timothy Brown, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Mark H. Brown, Jr., at Martian's Infirmary, Vicksburg, Tuesday, January 28. The grandparents are Mrs. Mamie O'Sullivan and Mr. and Mrs. Mark H. Brown. The great grandparents are Mrs. Kate O'Sullivan, Lake Providence and Mrs. Hilton U. Brown and Mrs. Susan Janet Bailey, both of Indianapolis, Ind.

Miss Marilyn Jones, Arcadia, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Howard over the past week-end.

Mrs. F. H. Schneider, Jr., bridge club hostess of the week, had Mrs. Leon Minsky to participate in the games with the club members Mrs. J. E. Brown, Mrs. J. P. Brown, Mrs. W. F. Booker, Mrs. B. R. Burgoyne, Mrs.

W. D. Brown, Jr., Mrs. Ernest Parra and Mrs. W. F. Tschumann. High score was made by Mrs. Burgoyne and second high by Mrs. W. D. Brown, Jr.

Dick DuBose left during the week for Baton Rouge where he will attend L. S. U. on his master's degree in horticulture. Over the week-end he visited his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. James G. Crawford.

Joseph Titone and Ranny Cox were home for the Southwestern mid-term holidays.

Peggy Mitchell celebrated her fifteenth birthday with a tea party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mitchell, Saturday afternoon. Guests were Jane and Kathleen Evans, Joan Phillips, Evelyn Smilow, Peggy Schwartz, Pat Myers, Valery Land, Carolyn Rentz, Bootsie Dunn, Margaret Carter, Yvonne Henderson of Monroe, Donny Mae Mitchell, Beverly Lloyd, Katie Belser and Pansy Mitchell.

Nick Hamilton, Jr., was among the L. S. U. students home for the mid-term vacation.

Mrs. T. H. Hamm, Portland, Ark., was here to visit her niece, Mrs. Homer Scherer and Mr. Scherer, who motored to Arkansas Sunday to take her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carter were Marks, Miss, motorists the first of the week for a visit with Mrs. Carter's aunt, Mrs. Kelsey.

Mrs. Ernest Hart and infant daughter, born Jan. 5 at Bastrop hospital, have joined Mr. Hart here at the home of his mother, Mrs. S. E. Hart. The daughter was named Susan for her paternal grandmother.

Eastern Stars and Masons in a committee meeting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grady McDonald enjoyed a most pleasant evening of discussing proposed plans for a new lodge loca-

tion. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bass, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Tschabold, Mrs. M. M. Walsworth, Mrs. C. E. Newman, Zell Stockner and Mrs. H. T. Van Fossen.

Mrs. Russell D. Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stuart recently visited in Columbia, with Mrs. Fisher visiting with Mrs. A. L. Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. Will Haddock.

John W. Schonfarber, who was on Okinawa eight months and 18 days, is being welcomed home after receiving discharge at Camp Beale, Calif. He was a T/S in the army engineers corps.

Mrs. Blanche Sutton is up from St. Joseph to visit with friends in this, her former home.

L. H. Loughbridge, general field representative of the Red Cross, and Mr. H. J. Murphy, Homer, visited the local Red Cross office on Monday and Mr. Loughbridge conferred with the local executive secretary, Mrs. Arthur Crump.

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Monroe Literary Club Meets For Annual Luncheon

The Monroe Literary Club held its annual business meeting and luncheon in the Butterfly room at the Frances Hotel last Wednesday, with Mrs. Victor Weber and Mrs. J. E. Shannon as hostesses, assisted by the social committee.

A beautiful white urn centering the speakers' table overflowed with exquisite pale pink roses. Clever place cards marked covers for the club members and eight guests.

Mrs. J. Norman Coon, who possesses a beautiful soprano voice, led the singing of the doxology, and Mrs. J. R. Roark gave the invocation.

Club business was transacted, including a detailed financial report, and other club matters. The recommendation of new officers as submitted by the nominating committee was voted on as a unit by the club, and the following officers elected for the coming year, 1947-48: Mrs. J. R. Roark, President; Mrs. C. D. McAdams, Vice-President; Mrs. S. E. Holloway, recording secretary; Mrs. A. B. Colmer, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. S. E. Morris, Treasurer; Mrs. R. C. Brice, Parliamentarian; Mrs. Guy DuPriest, Reporter; Mrs. W. L. Jones, Historian; Mrs. Ben Farnell, Program Chairman.

Mrs. Guy DuPriest presented Mrs. Coon, and Mrs. D. H. Holmes, who delighted the club with a vocal duet, "Going Home". A humorous reading, "Aggravating Ma," was given by Mrs. Coon.

Mrs. Coon sang Firestone's immortal "In My Garden", after which she and Mrs. Holmes blended their voices in the lovely favorite, "Indian Love Call".

The following guests were introduced: Mrs. J. W. Betha, Mrs. D. A. Alltick, Mrs. A. G. Oleott, Mrs. C. O. Ringwald, Mrs. Terrill P. Bass, Mrs. D. H. Holmes, Mrs. J. Norman Coon, and Mrs. Thos. Phippen.

A delicious luncheon was served to the guests and the following members: Mrs. A. B. Colmer, Mrs. J. R. Roark, Mrs. S. E. Morris, Mrs. Ed Crowley, Mrs. J. A. Bailey, Mrs. R. C. Brice, Mrs. Sidney Karr, Mrs. R. M. Kettenring, Mrs. S. E. Holloway, Mrs. Victor Weber, Mrs. Ben Farnell, Mrs. W. T. Ellis, Mrs. J. E. Shannon, Mrs. J. F. Stone, Mrs. J. F. Choate, Mrs. Guy DuPriest, Mrs. Z. T. Stone, Mrs. C. D. McAdams.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Busby of Grayson, La., announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Vernadene, to Holmes G. Clark, seaman third class, U. S. navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Clark of West Monroe.

MR. AND MRS. MALTA



Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Malta, bride and groom of recent date, cut their wedding cake at the reception following the ceremony, Mrs. Malta was formerly Miss Lucille DeCorte, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph DeCorte. The wedding took place at St. Matthew's Church.

International Program Will Be Broadcast

The National Congress of Parents and Teachers today announced plans for an international program to be broadcast on February 17 over the stations of the NBC network in cooperation with the Canadian and British Broadcasting Corporations. This radio program will commemorate the fiftieth anniversary of the parent-teacher organization, founded in Washington, D. C., on February 17, 1897, by Alice McLellan Birney and Phoebe Apperson Hearst. Because the parent-teacher movement has spread to many parts of the world, the broadcast will include prominent leaders in the Canadian and British associations similarly interested in furthering home-school cooperation.

Originating in Chicago at 12:00 p. m. C. S. T., the program will open with a brief dramatization based on an early episode in the history of the P. T. A. Mrs. L. W. Hughes, president of the National Congress, will then bring greetings from Marietta, Georgia, the birthplace of Alice McLellan Birney, where special anniversary ceremonies will be in progress at the memorial shrine dedicated to Mrs. Birney.

Next the program will take its listeners to Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, to hear a message from Dr. S. R. Laycock, president of the Canadian Federation of Home and School; from there to London for a short talk by George A. Lyward, chairman of the Home and School Council of Great Britain; and finally back again to this country to Portland, Oregon, for concluding remarks by Mrs. William Kletzer, past president of the National Congress now serving as chairman of the standing committee on Founders day.

During the last half century the National Congress has worked unswervingly for the welfare and well-being of America's children and youth. This international broadcast will give the four million P. T. A. members all over this nation a feeling of renewed kinship with those in other lands who share the ideals that gave birth to the National Congress of Parents and Teachers.

Mrs. Fagan Cox is the Founders day chairman of Louisiana Parent-Teacher Association.

St. Joseph

The members of the Wednesday Bridge Club enjoyed a pleasant meeting with Mrs. John Hughes as hostess. Pretty arrangements of nandina brightened the living room of Mrs. Hughes' house, where the card tables were placed. An attractive feature was the quaint tally cards, which were decorated with illustrated prints of Godey's fashions. The games resulted in Miss Marion Curry winning first prize, Mrs. Wilbur R. Slaughter the second and Mrs. Fred Skinner won the floating prize. After the games, the hostess, Mrs. John Hughes, served a delicious plate, hot biscuits and coffee to eight. Mrs. Wilbur R. Slaughter of New Orleans was a guest. Mrs. Fred Skinner will entertain the club at the next meeting.

Miss Ruth Hale, formerly with the Tensas parish department of public welfare, has received a scholarship in the school of social work at L. S. U. and arrived in Baton Rouge a week ago to engage in this course of study. Miss Hale has lived in St. Joseph for the past few years and has many friends here to whom her departure to make her home elsewhere is a source of much regret.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Wall of Tallulah, La., have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Carrie Mae to Mr. Farrar Newell Harper of St. Joseph. The wedding will take place in March. The bride is a member of Joseph M. Davidson High School faculty. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Marable B. Harper of St. Joseph.

George Gunby of Monroe, La., is a business visitor to St. Joseph.

Nick Bruno, Jr., who is a student at St. Stanislaus College, Bay St. Louis, Miss., is spending a holiday of four days at the family home here.

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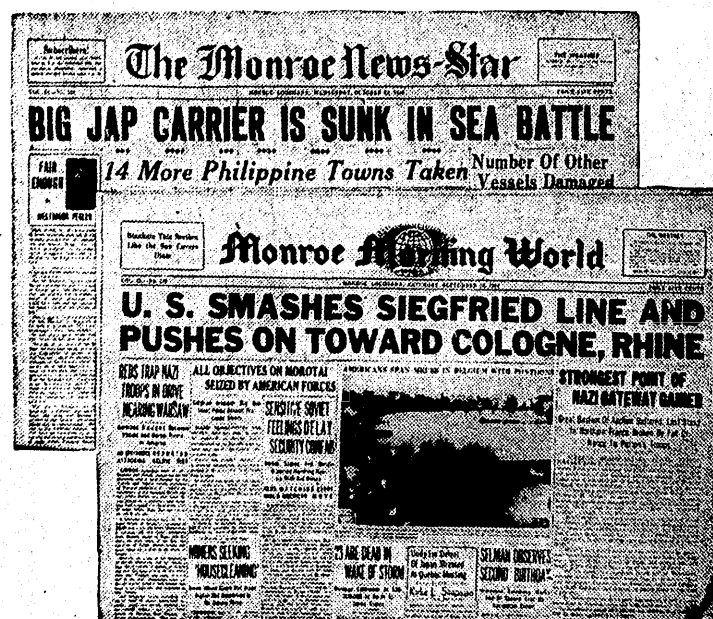
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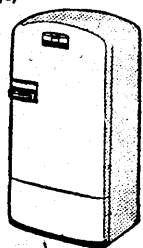
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CIVIC CHEST'S BOARD MEETS

Luncheon Is Held In 'Y' Interpretation Program Initiated

Members of the Community Chest board were guests of the Y. W. C. A. Friday at a luncheon in the new Y home at 1515 Jackson Street. The board members invited were: Tom Davenport, Ray Updegraff, G. L. Holmway, W. J. Riley, Alden Shotwell, J. P. McKee, Shelby Case, Frank Farmer, A. M. Serex, and Miss Mary Mullis. Also invited to this luncheon was the new advisory committee composed of Judge W. M. Harper, T. H. Scott, D. M. Smith, J. R. White and J. Norman Coon.

Mrs. E. W. Sartain, president of the Y. W. C. A. board, stated that this meeting was a part of the interpretation program that is being sponsored by the membership of the Y this year. It is the desire of these women to acquaint everyone in the Twin Cities with the various activities of this organization and of the far-reaching benefits to be derived from the Y by the young women of this community.

The guests were first carried on a tour of the new residence and they were all pleased and enthusiastic with the work that has been done in getting the building fixed up in a comfortable and livable condition.

Mrs. Sartain thanked her committee for preparing and serving the luncheon. This committee consisted of the following women: Mrs. F. C. Bennett, Mrs. J. B. Kugler, Mrs. C. R. Tidwell, Mrs. J. E. Whitfield, Mrs. B. L. Mulhearn, and the housemother, Mrs. Albert Eubanks.

AIRPORT HAY CONTRACT LET TO FRED HAILTON

A three-year contract for sowing and harvesting hay at the Municipal Airport was awarded by the commission council Saturday morning to Fred Hamilton, planter, of near Downsville. Mr. Hamilton's proposal was one of three submitted and was the same as that under which he harvested last year's crop. He will receive 60 per cent of the hay produced and 40 per cent will go to the city.

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WOMAN SENTENCED AS DRUNKEN DRIVER

Mrs. G. C. Smith, 38, of 812 Natchitoches Street, West Monroe, is in Ouachita parish prison starting to serve a 30-day jail sentence which Judge Jesse Heard, of West Monroe city court, added to a fine of \$100 and \$7.50 costs Friday afternoon when he found her guilty of operating an auto while under the influence of liquor.

The woman pleaded not guilty when arraigned but Patrolmen James Cullipier and J. B. Hennen testified she had cursed them when she passed their police car and that her machine was "weaving erratically" as she drove along Natchitoches Street last Wednesday night.

PRESBYTERY TO BE IN SESSION

Will Assemble In Alexandria
On Sunday, February 23

ALEXANDRIA, Feb. 15.—(Special)—Dr. David Stitt, president of Austin Theological Seminary, will be the principal speaker at the annual convention of Louisiana Presbytery Laymen's Association, to be held in the First Presbyterian Church here Sunday, February 23. Upwards of 150 delegates representing 34 churches of the presbytery are expected to be present.

Dr. Stitt, one of the most prominent ministers of the Southern Presbyterian Church, will speak at the closing session of the convention, beginning at 7 o'clock. The convention will open at 3 o'clock in the afternoon with the registration of delegates. Rev. W. G. Foster, pastor of the Alexandria Presbyterian Church, will be the chief speaker in the afternoon on the subject, "Laymen's Opportunity in Stewardship." The annual laymen's supper will be served by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church from 6 to 7 o'clock.

One of the features of the gathering will be the awarding of a silver cup to the group representing the largest number of man miles traveled to the convention. The presbytery is composed of churches in the central and southwestern section of Louisiana, in addition to the Baton Rouge area.

Hermann L. Lehmann, of the First Presbyterian Church, Baton Rouge, is president of the association, and will have charge of the meeting. J. W. Anthony, Opelousas, is vice-president. B. L. Orvis, of Welsh, is secretary, and L. A. Williams, Crowley, treasurer. The board of directors is composed of Scott McVea, Zachary; J. H. Barbour, Lake Charles; Dr. H. W. A. Lee, Baton Rouge; F. A. Riekey, University Church, Freeport; Williamson, Baton Rouge; Charles Russell, Florida Street, Baton Rouge; J. L. Fletcher, Lafayette. Ex-officio: Rev. M. Murchison, Crowley; Rev. Knox C. Poole, state director of religious education.

GOING TO VENEZUELA
DeWitt Tarlton, 28, of Natchitoches, a former navy lieutenant recently employed by the Carter Oil company at Ensenada, applied for a passport at the U. S. district court clerk's office yesterday and is preparing to go to Venezuela as a member of an oil exploration party.

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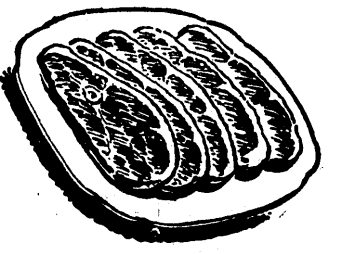
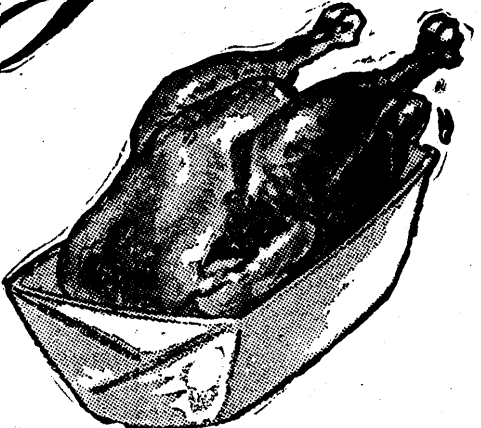


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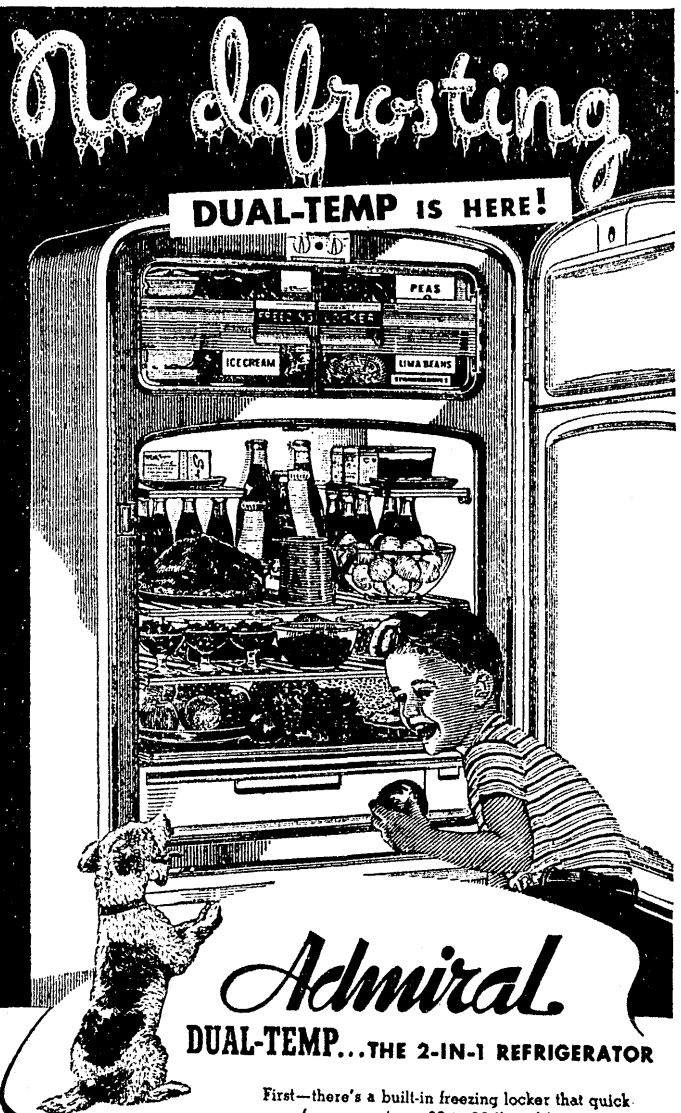
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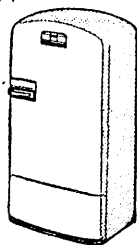
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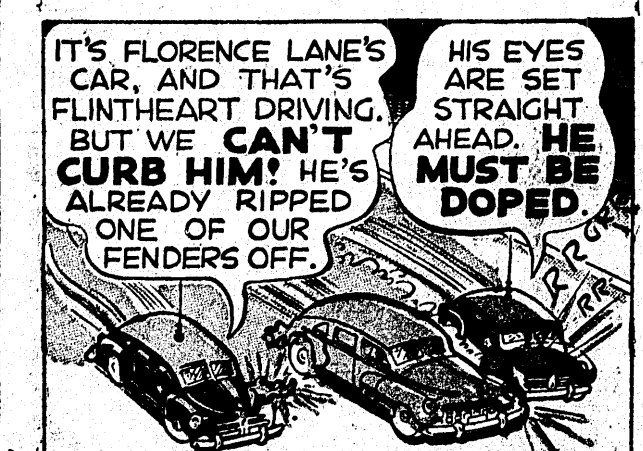
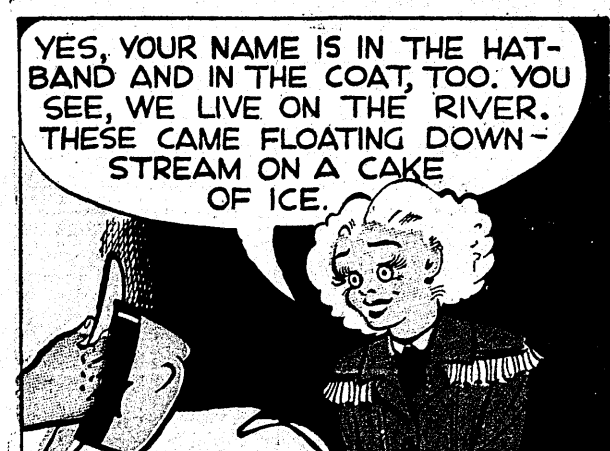
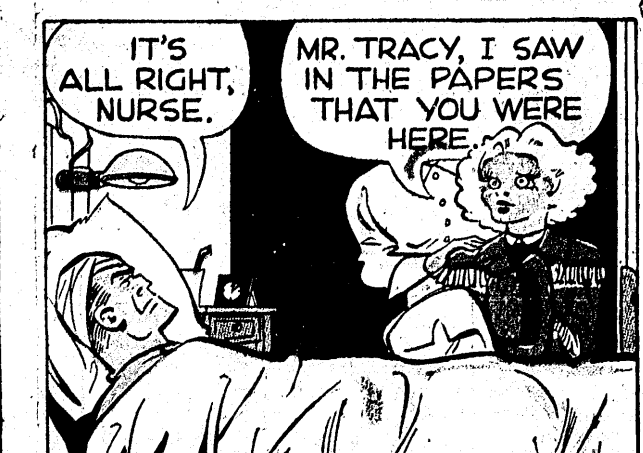
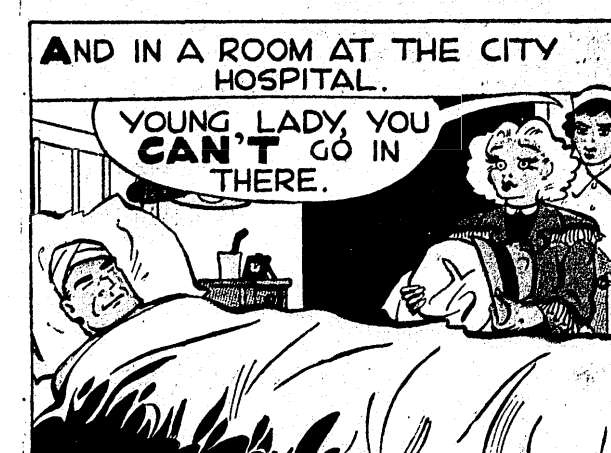
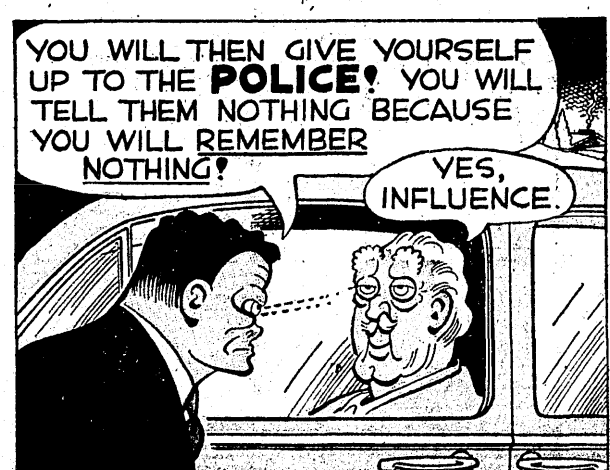
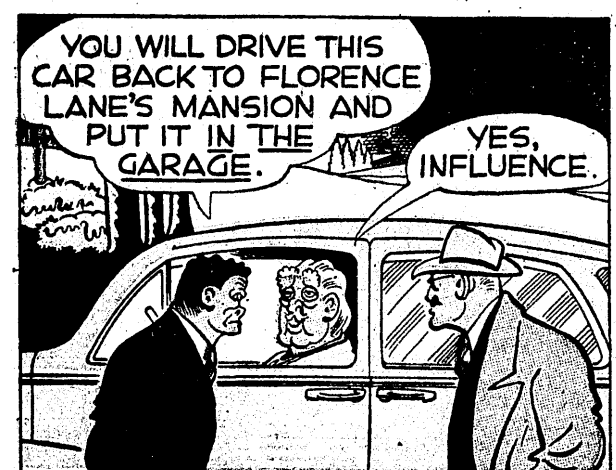
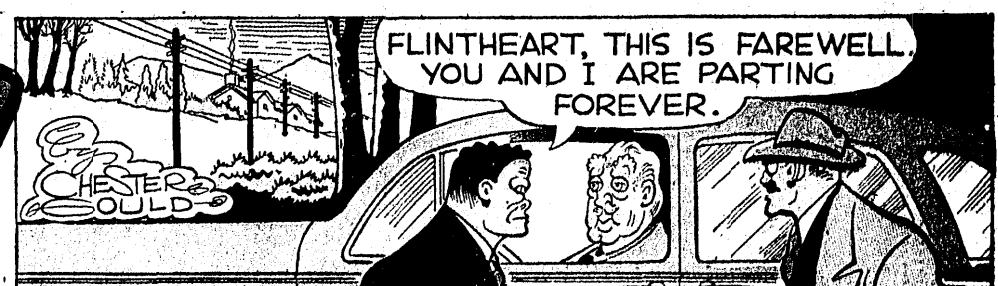
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OF LYNCHED NEGRO IS FOUND

ENS, S. C., Feb. 17.—(AP)—A
armed men early today re-
a Negro prisoner, Willie Earle,
Greenville, from the Pickens
jail, and an hour and a half
body was found on a road
nville county.

before 5 o'clock this morn-
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t harm anybody else. Several
carried shotguns, and most
wore caps. They made me go
unlock the cell. They took the
nd drove away in several cars,
hen a little after 5 o'clock."

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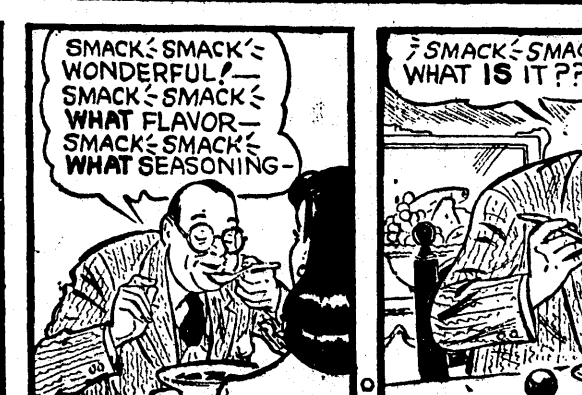
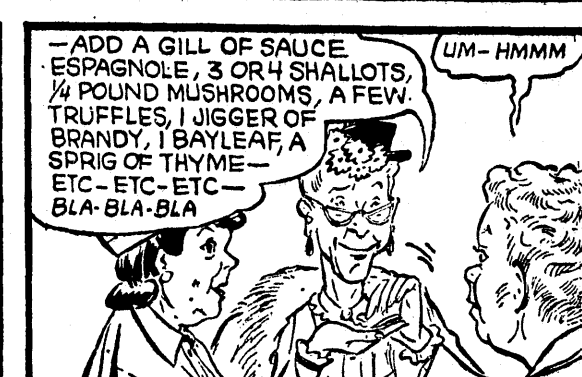
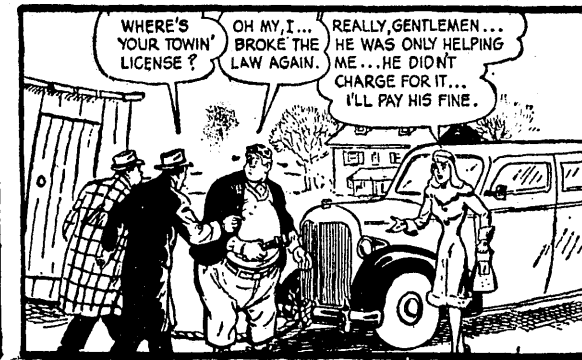
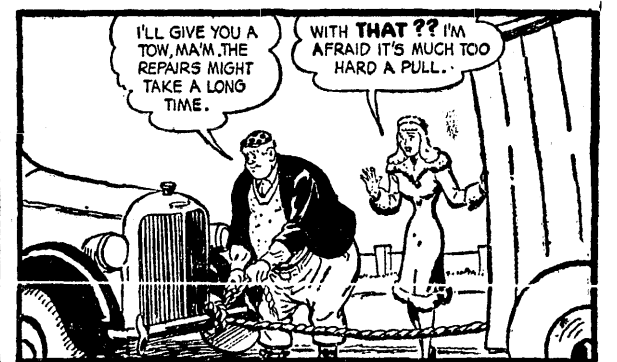
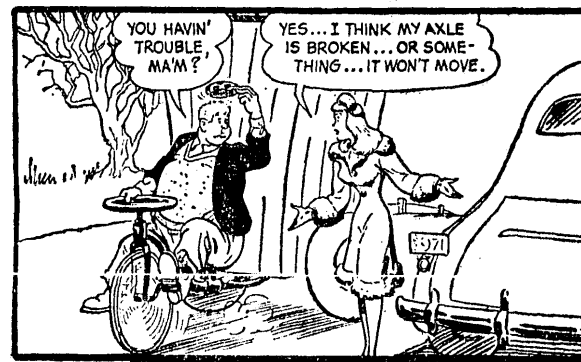
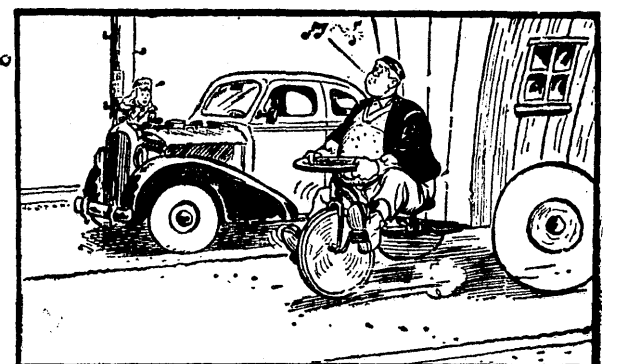
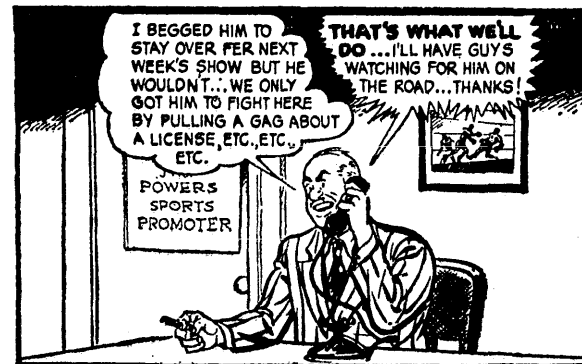
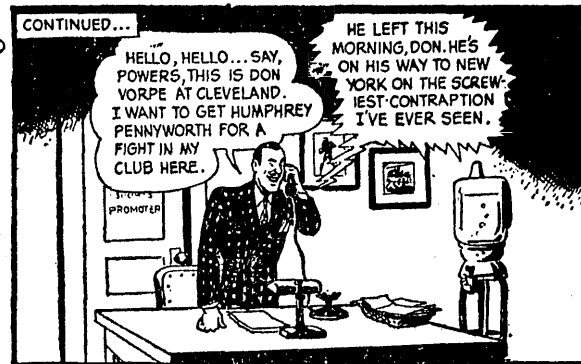
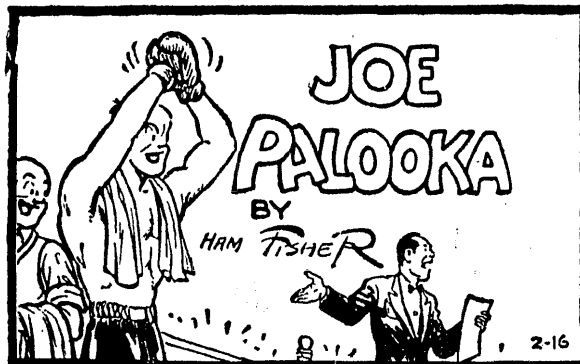
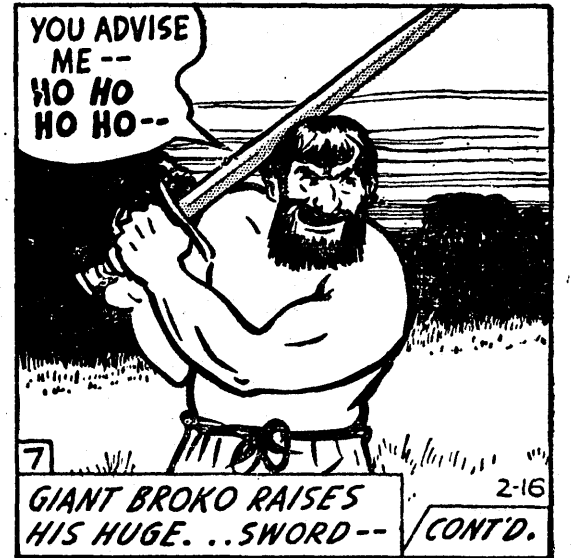
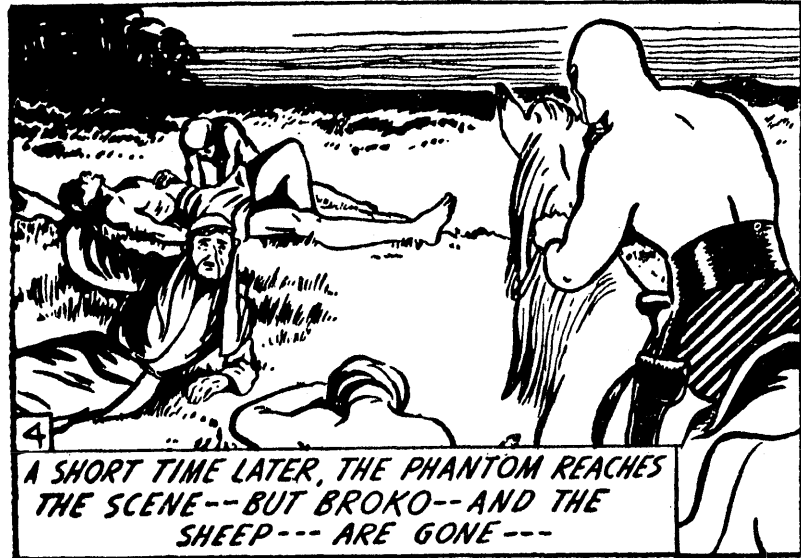
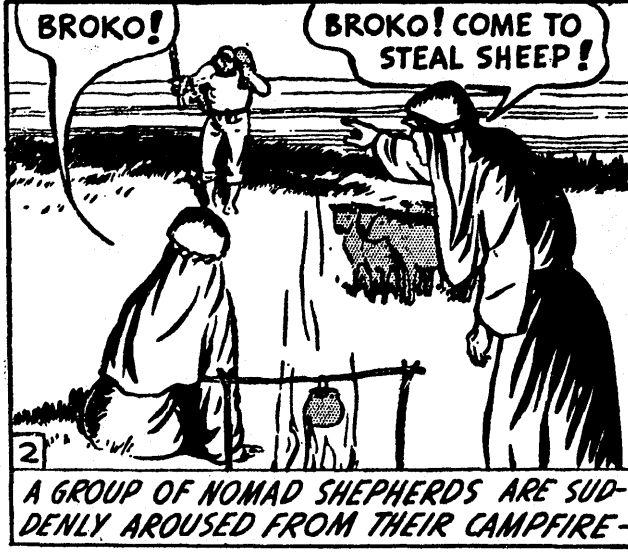
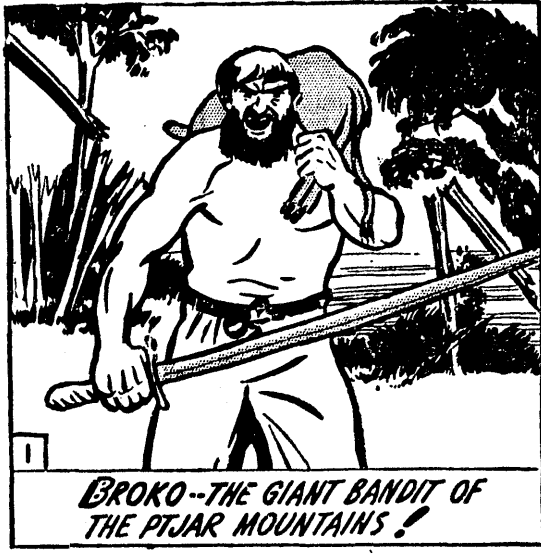
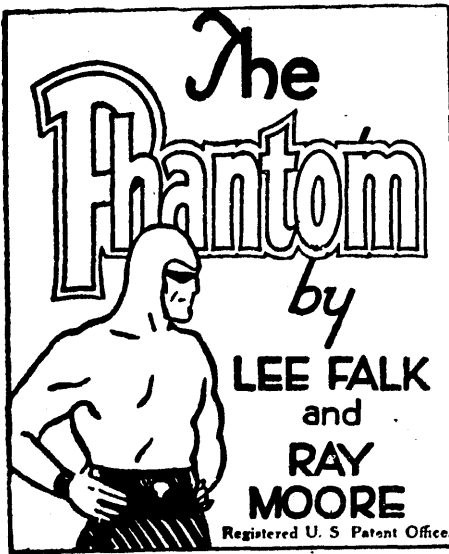
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outside ditch. He told officers
picked up a Negro fare in
the Saturday night, and had
abbed and robbed by the
bout two miles north of the
Liberty. Hospital attendants
his condition critical.

Gilstrap said he did not
any members of the un-
mob.
While, in Columbia Governor
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aid to officers of Pickens and
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OUR BOARDING HOUSE

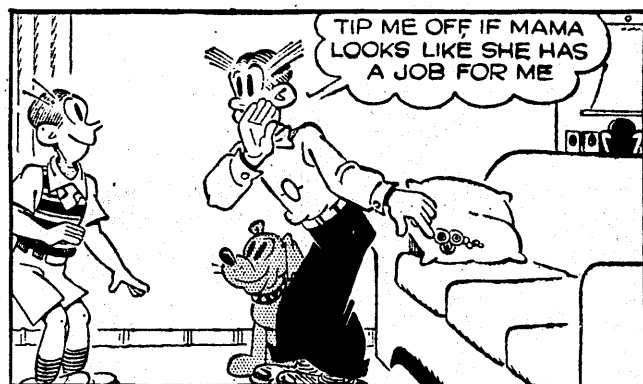




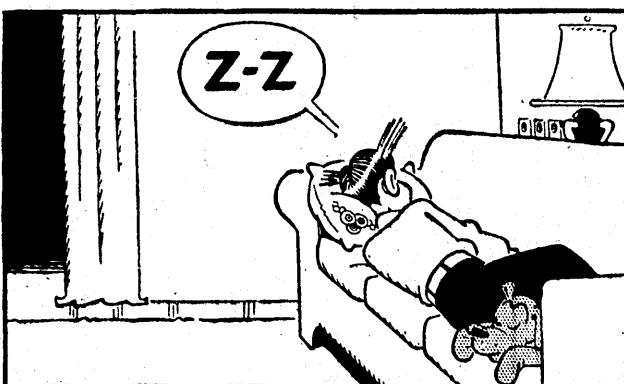
BLONDIE

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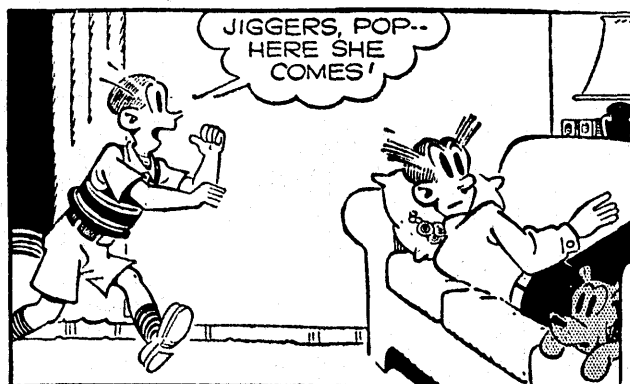
I THINK I'LL TAKE SOME OF MY FAVORITE EXERCISE-- A NAP



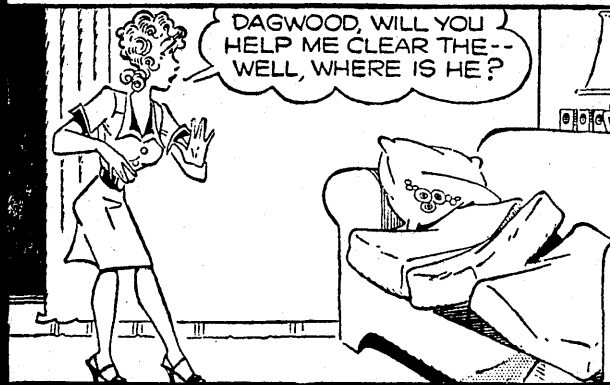
TIP ME OFF IF MAMA LOOKS LIKE SHE HAS A JOB FOR ME



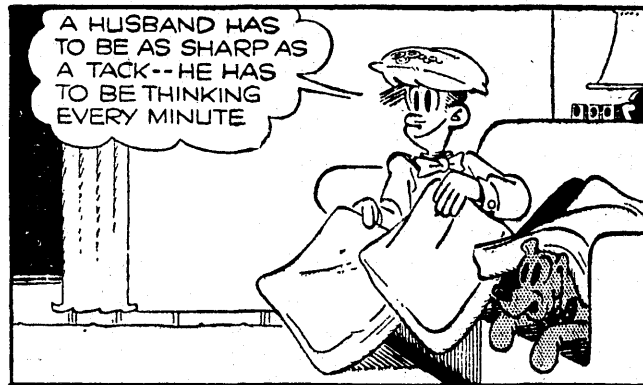
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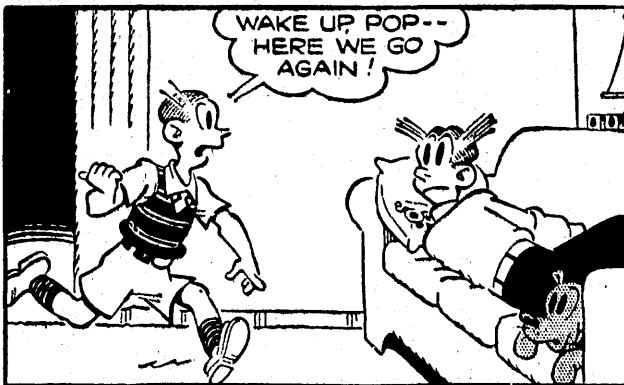
JIGGERS, POP-- HERE SHE COMES!



DAGWOOD, WILL YOU HELP ME CLEAR THE-- WELL, WHERE IS HE?



A HUSBAND HAS TO BE AS SHARP AS A TACK-- HE HAS TO BE THINKING EVERY MINUTE



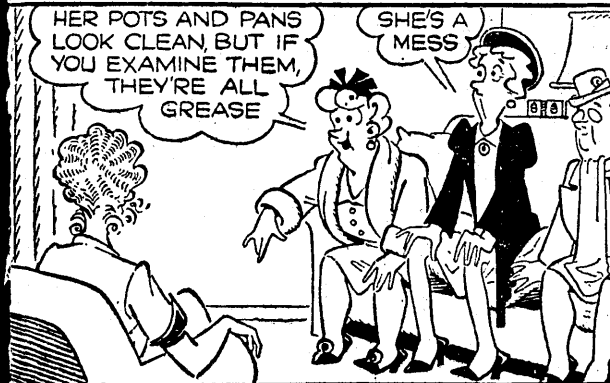
WAKE UP POP-- HERE WE GO AGAIN!



WE WERE IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD

IT'S JUST A SOCIAL CALL

OH, COME IN, GIRLS!



HER POTS AND PANS LOOK CLEAN, BUT IF YOU EXAMINE THEM, THEY'RE ALL GREASE

SHE'S A MESS



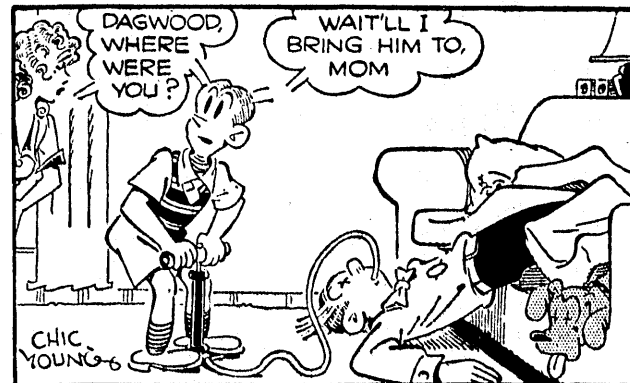
IT WAS SO SWEET OF THE GIRLS TO DROP IN

OH, POOR POP!



WE MUST GO NOW, IT'S ALMOST FIVE

IT'S BEEN LOVELY



DAGWOOD, WHERE WERE YOU?

WAIT'LL I BRING HIM TO, MOM

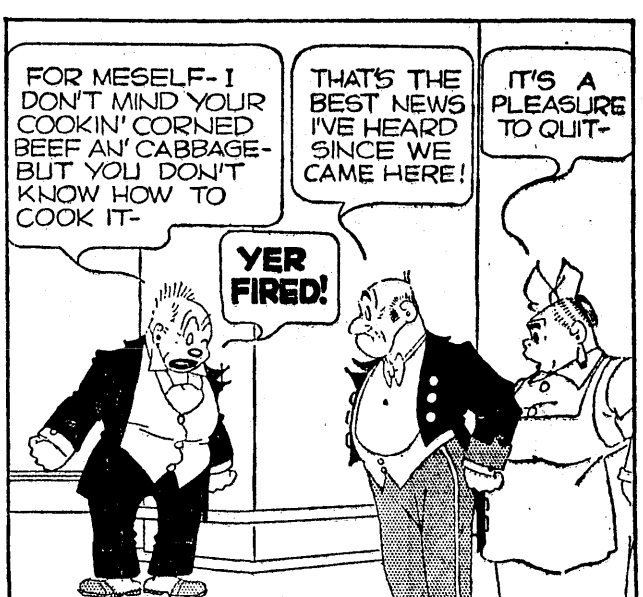
BRINGING UP FATHER

by GEORGE MANNING
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YOU HEARD ME--I WANT YOU TO GO RIGHT IN AND FIRE THE BUTLER AND HIS WIFE--THE COOK-- SHE COOKED CORNED BEEF AND CABBAGE YESTERDAY!!

WHY DON'T YOU FIRE 'EM? YOU HIRED 'EM--BUT I'LL DO IT--MAGGIE!!



FOR MESELF--I DON'T MIND YOUR COOKIN' CORNED BEEF AN' CABBAGE--BUT YOU DON'T KNOW HOW TO COOK IT--

THAT'S THE BEST NEWS I'VE HEARD SINCE WE CAME HERE!

IT'S A PLEASURE TO QUIT--

YER FIRED!



WE'RE ONLY SORRY WE DIDN'T PUT SHOE POLISH IN YOUR FOOD--BUT I DON'T THINK IT WOULD HURT YOU!!

IF I HAD KNOWN WE WUZ GONNA BE FIRED--I'D HAVE FIXED A DINNER THAT WOULD'VE PUT BOTH OF YOU IN A HOSPITAL--

VULGAR PEOPLE



OH, HELLO--MRS. SUPINFISH! I'M SO GLAD YOU CALLED--WHAT'S THAT?? OH, WE'D BE DELIGHTED TO DINE WITH YOU TONIGHT!!

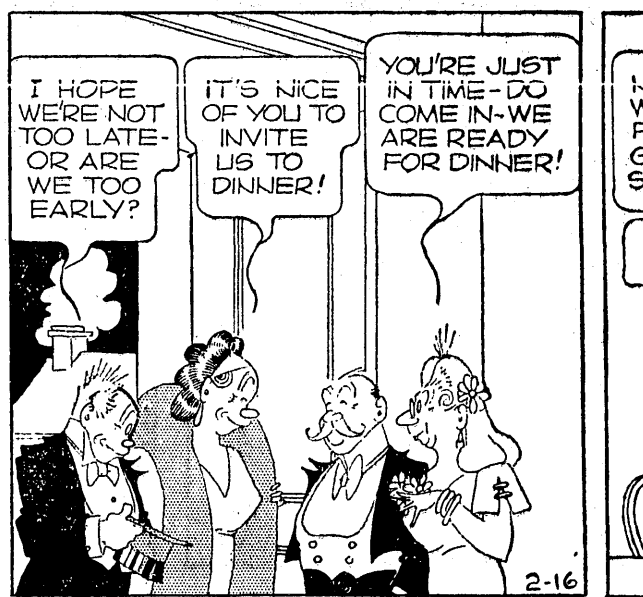
I COULD EAT NOW!!



HOPE THEY AVE SOME GOOD THAT LIKE--MAYBE THEY'LL HAVE CORNED BEEF AN' CABBAGE!

DON'T THINK OF THAT HORRID DISH--JAMES! TO THE SUPINFISH RESIDENCE!!

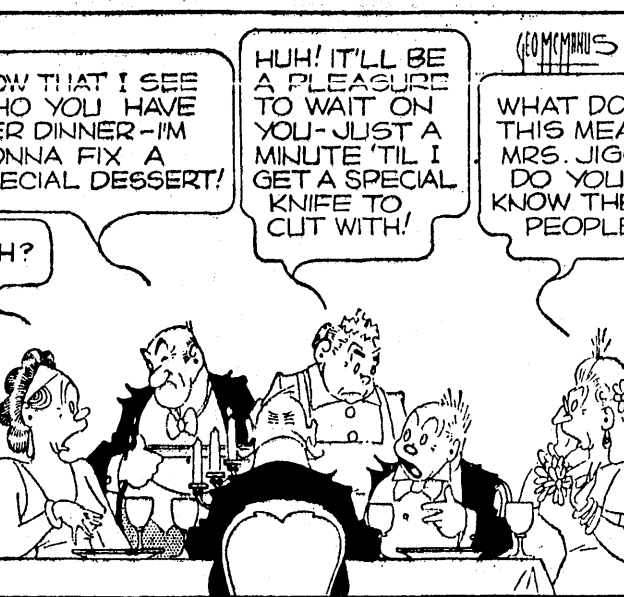
YES--MUM!



I HOPE WE'RE NOT TOO LATE--OR ARE WE TOO EARLY?

IT'S NICE OF YOU TO INVITE US TO DINNER!

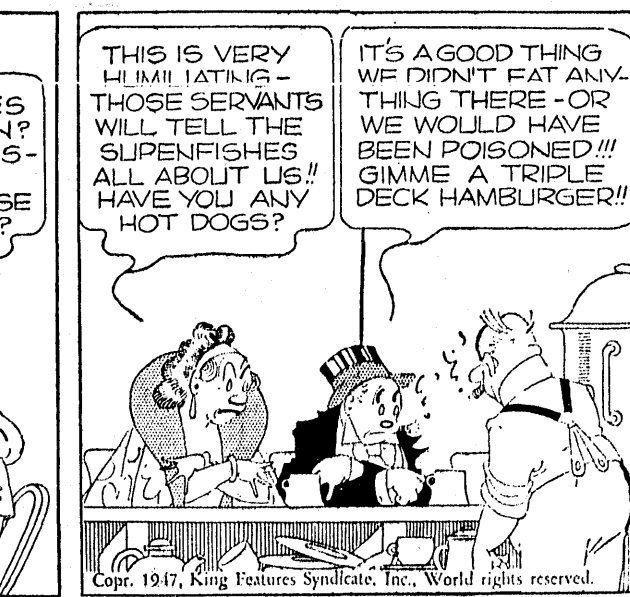
YOU'RE JUST IN TIME--DO COME IN--WE ARE READY FOR DINNER!



HOW THAT I SEE WHO YOU HAVE FOR DINNER--I'M GONNA FIX A SPECIAL DESSERT!

HUH! IT'LL BE A PLEASURE TO WAIT ON YOU--JUST A MINUTE 'TIL I GET A SPECIAL KNIFE TO CUT WITH!

WHAT DOES THIS MEAN? MRS. JIGGS--DO YOU KNOW THESE PEOPLE?

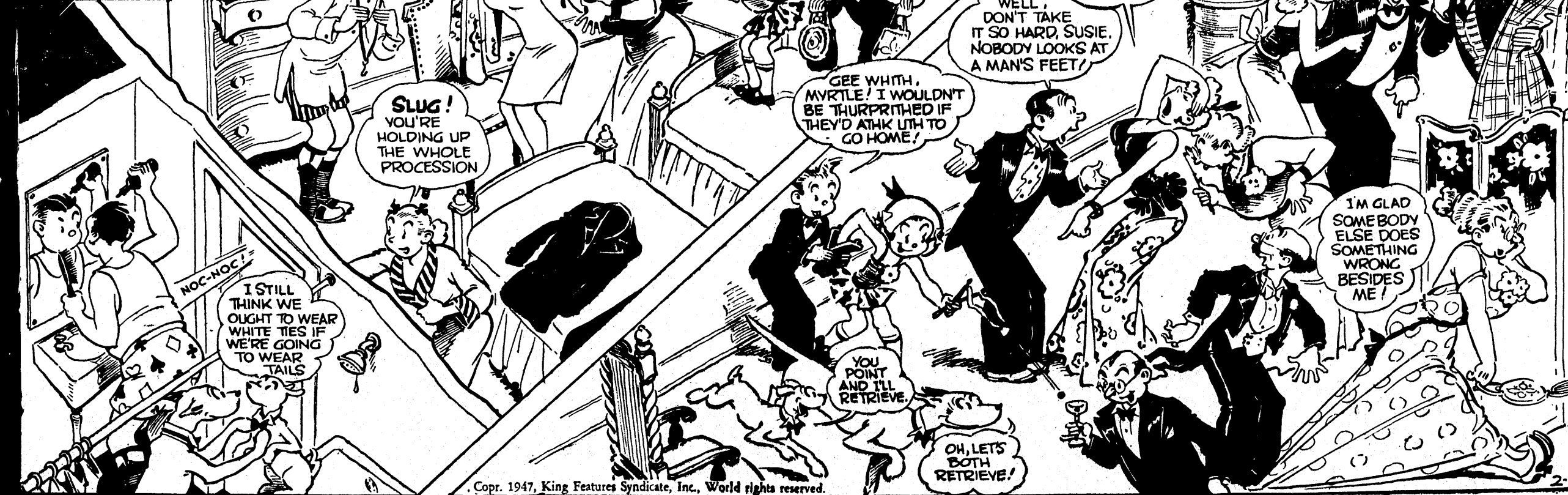


THIS IS VERY HUMILIATING--THOSE SERVANTS WILL TELL THE SUPINFISHES ALL ABOUT US!! HAVE YOU ANY HOT DOGS?

IT'S A GOOD THING WE DIDN'T EAT ANY--THING THERE--OR WE WOULD HAVE BEEN POISONED!! GIMME A TRIPLE DECK HAMBURGER!!

Right Around HOME

by Dudley Fisher
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LOOK, SUSIE! I BET I COULD WEAR THIS RIBBON OFF SLUG'S SAXOPHONE AND SLIP IN THE SIDE DOOR AS A MUSICIAN. THEN I'D DODGE THE RECEIVING LINE!

OH, FREDDIE! CAN'T YOU BE A GENTLEMAN JUST ONCE IN A WHILE?

I STILL SAY JUST PUTTING GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHES ON A MAN DOESN'T MAKE HIM A GENTLEMAN!

YOU MIGHT AS WELL LEARN TO DO THIS NOW, SAMPSON, SOMEDAY YOU'LL HAVE TO!

MAYBE I'D BETTER SLIP ON MY SWALLOW-TAILED COAT!

ALL YOU'RE INTERESTED IN ARE A FEW SWALLOWS!

BUT SLUG NEVER WEARS A HAT!

MOST DISCONCERTING, SIR! I'VE DEFINITE INSTRUCTIONS TO TAKE ALL THE GENTLEMEN'S 'ATS!

FREDDIE! YOU PUT ON YOUR TAN SHOES!

WELL, DON'T TAKE IT SO HARD, SUSIE. NOBODY LOOKS AT A MAN'S FEET!

GEE WHITH, MYRTLE! I WOULDN'T BE THURPRITHED IF THEY'D ASK UTH TO GO HOME!

YOU POINT AND I'LL RETRIEVE

OH, LET'S BOTH RETRIEVE!

THE WEATHER

BE: Fair tonight, lowest near ay partly cloudy and cond.

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Postponement of any gress determines how et was announced today llinnesota, of the House

et to begin Wednesday ing for a 20 per cent income levies.

on announced that the con- over how much to trim Pres- man's \$37,500,000,000 budget 1 cause delay in hearings on al tariff operations. These had been set tentatively to ebruary 24.

sw definite dates for tax or arings were set immediately, statement, Knutson said that ebruary 19 was selected to x considerations "it was an- that final action would be that date" on fixing a con- al budget ceiling.

enate-House budget committee mended a \$6,000,000,000 re- in the president's budget, ouse has yet to act on this andon and there were these nents today.

ublican leaders announced ll try to put the \$6,000,000,000 re the House in a form re- members to accept that sum ; it. Amendments which might the figure would be barred, tative Cannon, Democrat, i, promptly raised the cry "gag

Senate Republican policy ce called for a vote tomorrow G. O. P. conference on the question. Chairman Taft, Re- Ohio, of the policy group Republican senators would be register their views on sup- either the \$6,000,000,000 reduc- an alternative \$4,500,000,000 cut, man Bridges, Republican, New fire, of the Senate appropri- mitter, who is sponsoring ter amount, told reporters it ks as if the Republican sena- id decline to go that far. He will accept the judgment of ference.

uber, Republican, New York, n of the Senate House Ed- ommittee, told reporters fol- a top-level Republican House ce that he plans to ask the ommittee for a rule under o amendments could be pre- ven the resolution comes up floor Thursday.

said this would necessitate the lther voting outright approval proval of the \$6,000,000,000 cut dent Truman's original bud- ysonal of \$37,500,000,000. He ed that the resolution will be for four hours before a vote is

explained that it was decided e resolution before the Thursday, instead of Wednes- originally planned, so that a an conference could be held ay. Purpose of the conference, d, will be "to acquaint the ship on the actual situation," n, on learning of the Republic- ns, told reporters he would rule foreclosing the presenta-

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(OF LYNCHED NEGRO IS FOUND

ENS, S. C., Feb. 17.--(AP)--A armed men early today re- Negro prisoner, Willie Earle, Greenville, from the Pickens jail, and an hour and a half s body was found on a road nville county.

before 5 o'clock this morn- id 62-year-old Jailer J. Ed "about 25 men knocked at nt door. Then they came to the back door. One of them ey wanted the Negro and t harm anybody else. Several carried shotguns, and most wore caps. They made me go unlock the cell. They took the nd drove away in several cars, hen a little after 5 o'clock."

6:45 o'clock the body of the who had been arrested for in- on in the slaying of a taxi was found in adjacent Green- unity, Coroner J. O. Turner, officer to reach the body, said y bore stab wounds and that had been shot through with n charge.

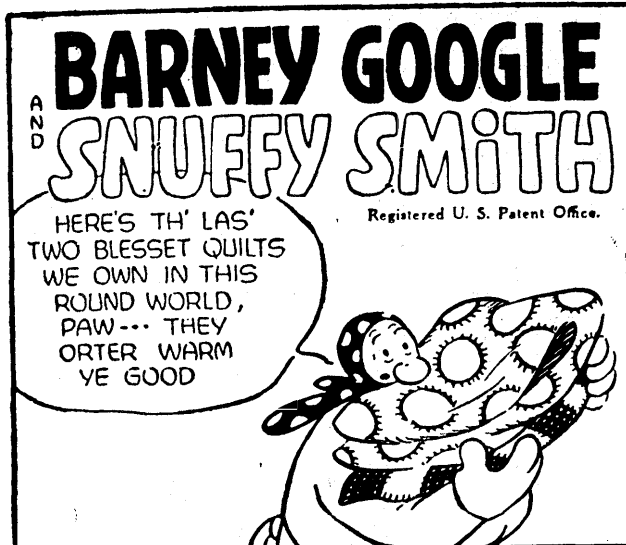
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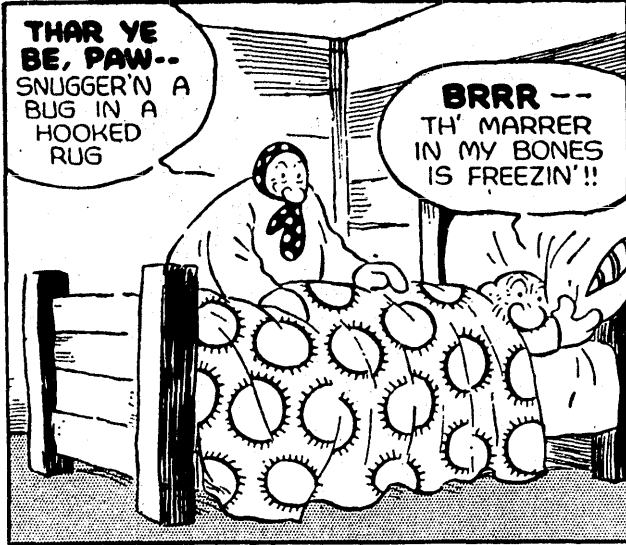
BARNEY GOOGLE AND SNUFFY SMITH
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HERE'S TH' LAS' TWO BLESSET QUILTS WE OWN IN THIS ROUND WORLD, PAW... THEY ORTER WARM YE GOOD

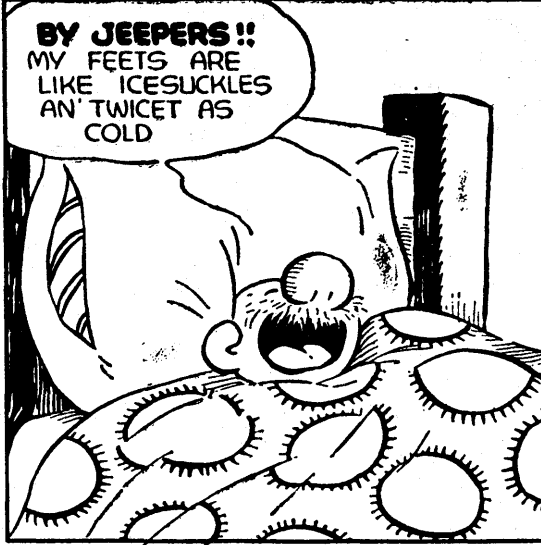


THAR YE BE, PAW-- SNUGGER'N A BUG IN A HOOKED RUG

BRRR -- TH' MARRER IN MY BONES IS FREEZIN'!!

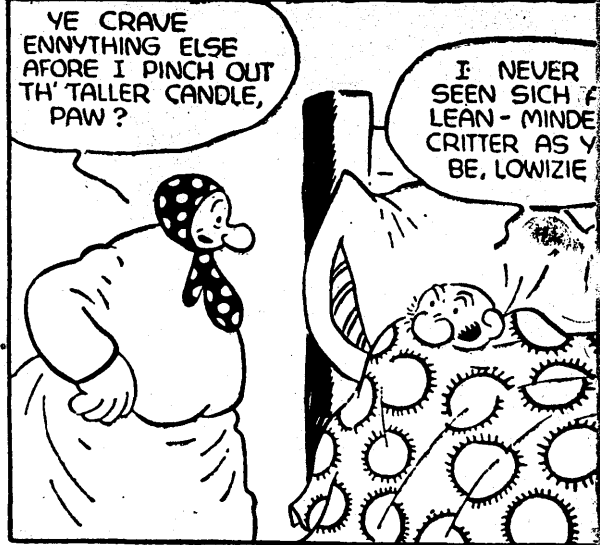


BY JEEPERS!! MY FEETS ARE LIKE ICESUCKLES AN' TWICET AS COLD



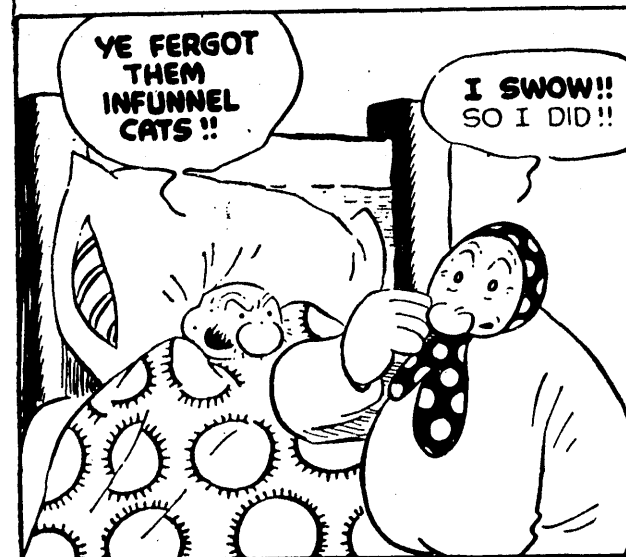
YE CRAVE ENNYTHING ELSE AFOR I PINCH OUT TH' TALLER CANDLE, PAW?

I NEVER SEEN SICH A LEAN - MINDE CRITTER AS YE BE, LOWIZIE



YE FEROT THEM INFUNNEL CATS!!

I SWOW!! SO I DID!!

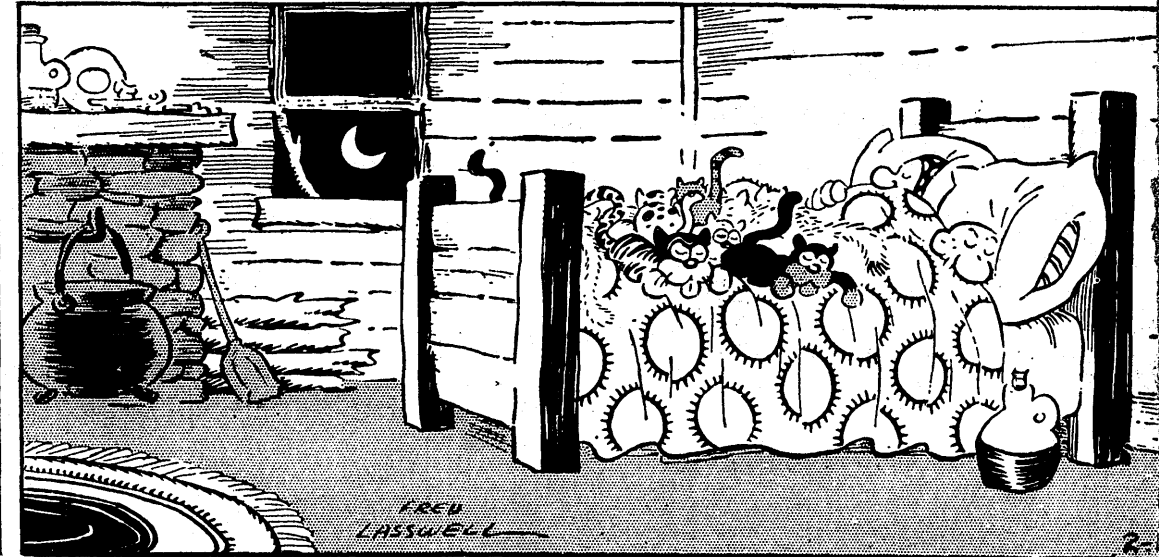


AN' GIT EVER' BLESSET ONE OF TH' VARMINTS

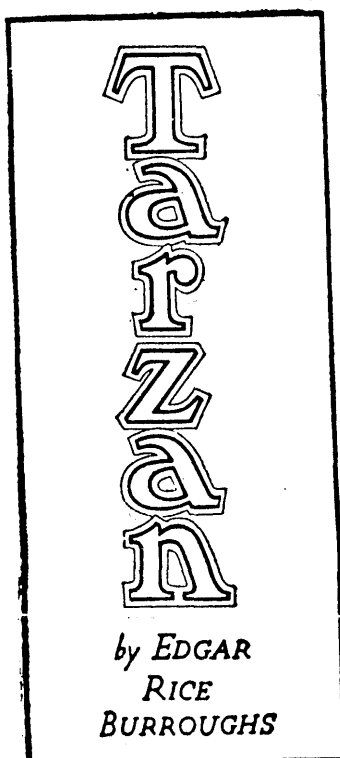
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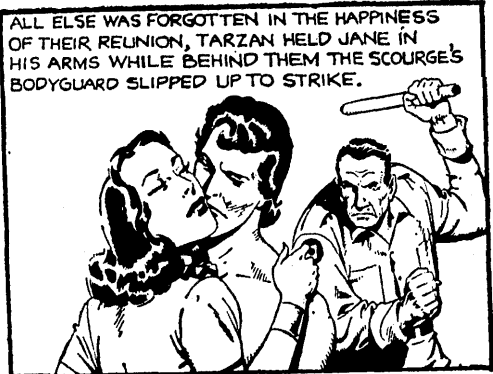
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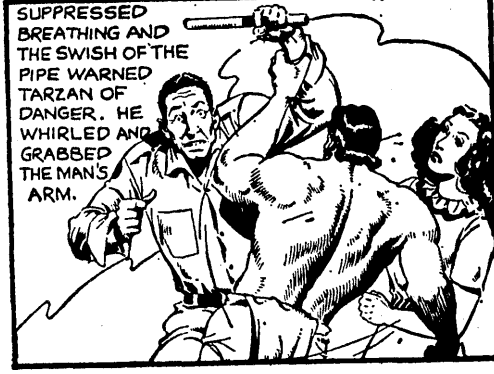
Tarzan
by EDGAR RICE BURROUGHS



ALL ELSE WAS FORGOTTEN IN THE HAPPINESS OF THEIR REUNION, TARZAN HELD JANE IN HIS ARMS WHILE BEHIND THEM THE SCOURGE'S BODYGUARD SLIPPED UP TO STRIKE.



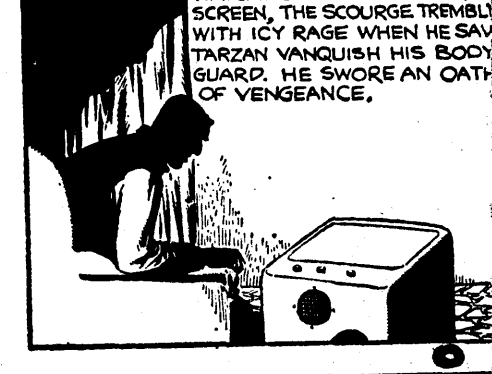
SUPPRESSED BREATHING AND THE SWISH OF THE PIPE WARNED TARZAN OF DANGER. HE WHIRLED AND GRABBED THE MAN'S ARM.



HE HURLED THE MAN INTO THE LABORATORY'S MAZE OF SCIENTIFIC APPARATUS. THE SHORT-CIRCUIT CAUSED BY HIS BODY RESULTED IN A FLASH OF FLAME, AND IT WAS OVER!




WATCHING HIS TELE-RADAR SCREEN, THE SCOURGE TREMBLED WITH ICY RAGE WHEN HE SAW TARZAN VANQUISH HIS BODY GUARD. HE SWORE AN OATH OF VENGEANCE.



"DARLING, LET US LEAVE THIS AWFUL PLACE AT ONCE," JANE ENTREATED TARZAN, BUT HE TOLD HER THEY MUST HELP THEIR FRIENDS.



AT THE MOMENT TARZAN AND HIS MATE ENTERED THE ROOM, THE ATTACKERS SPLINTERED THE DOOR FROM ITS HINGES AND WERE MET BY WITHERING MACHINE-GUN FIRE!



TARZAN RUSHED FORWARD TO ENTER THE FIGHT. "STAY BACK, JANE!" HE YELLED OVER HIS SHOULDER. "FIND COVER AND WAIT UNTIL THIS IS OVER!"



BUT JANE DID NOT OBEY. INSTEAD, SHE WATCHED THE FIGHT UNMINDFUL OF A SINISTER STEP BEHIND HER.



WITHOUT WARNING, GLOVED HANDS GRASPED JANE FROM BEHIND AND SINEWY FINGERS CHOKED OFF THE SCREAM THAT WAS ON HER LIPS.




THE FIGHT WAXED HOTTER. THE APE-MAN AND HIS COMRADES WERE GAINING. THEN TARZAN HEARD COMRADES WARNING CRY.

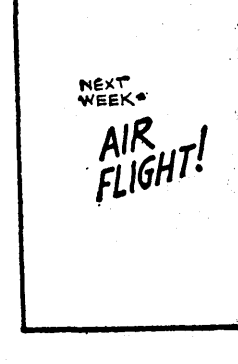
A QUICK GLANCE TOLD THE REASON. A CLOAKED MAN WAS CARRYING JANE OUT OF THE ROOM.



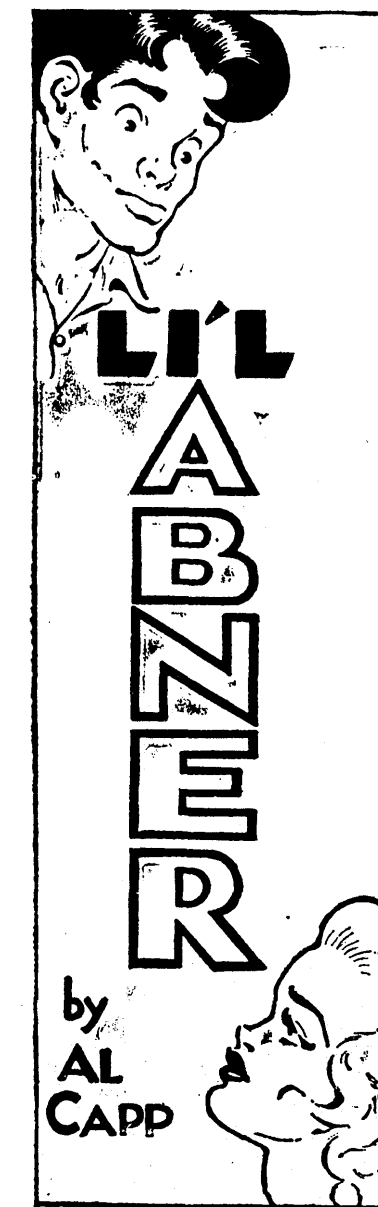
JANE FOUGHT DESPERATELY AGAINST THE HIDEOUS BEINGS' IRON-LIKE GRASP. SHE DID NOT KNOW TARZAN WAS ALREADY IN PURSUIT.



NEXT WEEK
AIR FLIGHT!



LIL ABZUR
by AL CAPP

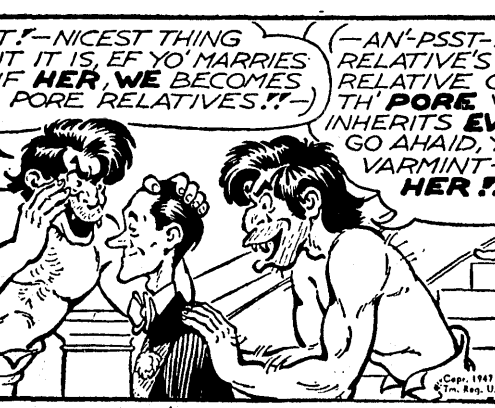


AH REELIZES SHE DON'T LOOK MUCH LIKE A BOSTON GAL ON ACCOUNT SHE GOT A FINE FIGGER-BUT THIS IS YORE. BIG CHANCE, PEABODY FLEABODY!! SHE'LL MARRY ANYTHING!!!

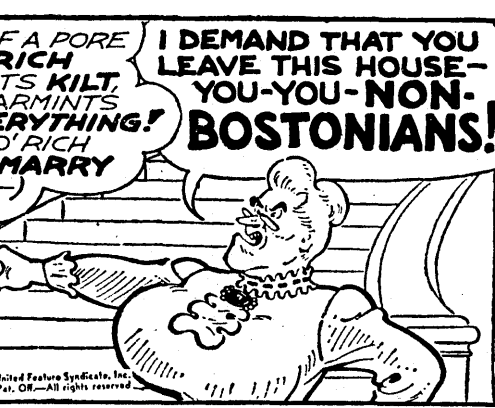


—PSST!—NICEST THING ABOUT IT IS, EF YO MARRIES UP WIF HER, WE BECOMES YORE PORE RELATIVES!!

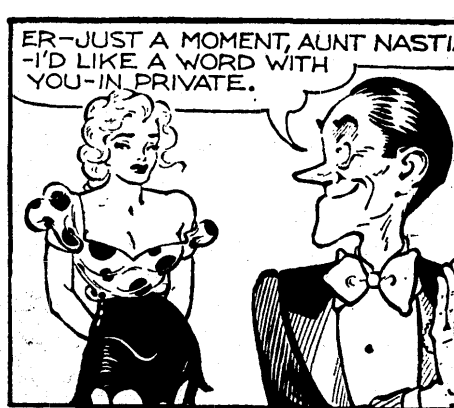
—AN-PSST-IF A PORE RELATIVE'S RICH TH' PORE VARMINTS INHERITS GO AWAID YO RICH VARMINT—MARRY HER!!



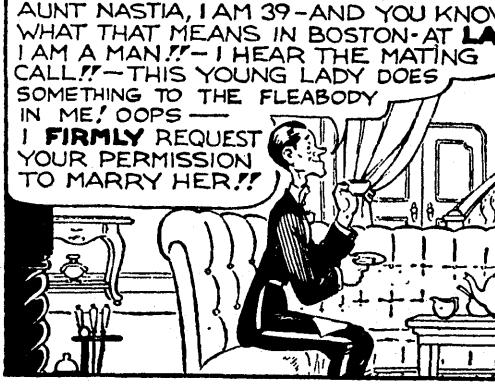
I DEMAND THAT YOU LEAVE THIS HOUSE—YOU-YOU-NON-BOSTONIANS!



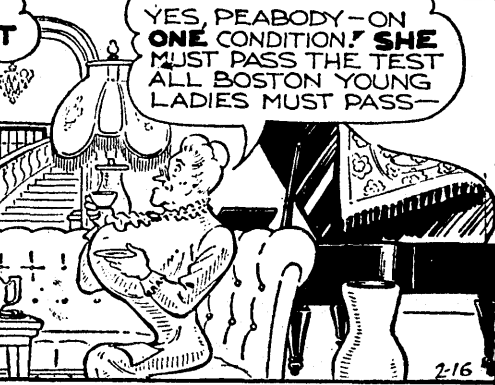
ER—JUST A MOMENT, AUNT NASTIA—I'D LIKE A WORD WITH YOU—IN PRIVATE.



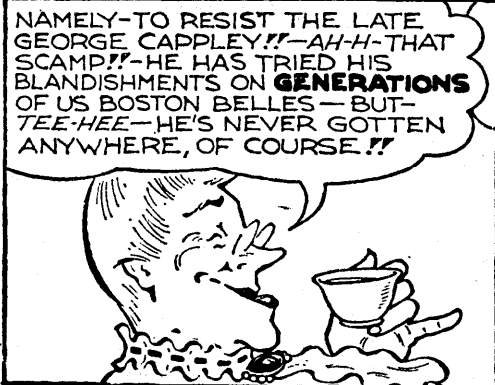
AUNT NASTIA, I AM 39—AND YOU KNOW WHAT THAT MEANS IN BOSTON—AT LAST I AM A MAN!!—I HEAR THE MATING CALL!!—THIS YOUNG LADY DOES SOMETHING TO THE FLEABODY IN ME!! OOPS— I FIRMLY REQUEST YOUR PERMISSION TO MARRY HER!!



YES, PEABODY—ON ONE CONDITION! SHE MUST PASS THE TEST ALL BOSTON YOUNG LADIES MUST PASS—



NAMELY—TO RESIST THE LATE GEORGE CAPPLEY!!—AH-H—THAT SCAMP!!—HE HAS TRIED HIS BLANDISHMENTS ON GENERATIONS OF US BOSTON BELLES—BUT—TEE-HEE—HE'S NEVER GOTTEN ANYWHERE, OF COURSE!!



YOU WISH TO SEE ME ALONE, NASTIA? BUT MY DEAR—I THOUGHT WE'D THRASHED THAT ALL OUT IN 1910!!

STOP LOOKING AT ME SO FIERCELY—MY ANSWER IS STILL NO, YOU RASCAL!!



I WANTED TO SEE YOU ABOUT A NEW GIRL IN TOWN!!

A NEW GIRL IN TOWN? ABOUT IT?—EASD!! I PREDICTED THAT BUILD-ING A SECOND RAIL-ROAD STATION WOULD MESS UP BOSTON SOCIAL LIFE.



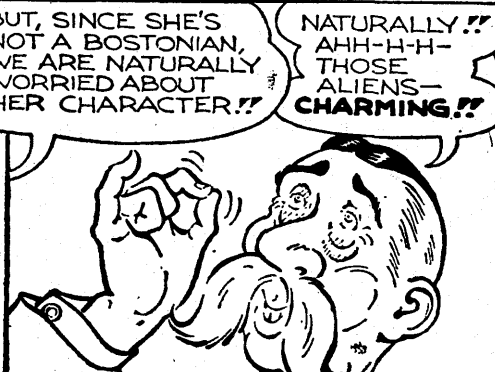
A MAN SIMPLY CAN'T MEET TRAINS AT TWO STATIONS AT ONCE!!

THIS ONE CAME BY TRUCK!! MY NEPHEW WISHES TO MARRY HER!!



BUT, SINCE SHE'S NOT A BOSTONIAN, WE ARE NATURALLY WORRIED ABOUT HER CHARACTER!!

NATURALLY!! AH-H-H—THOSE ALIENS—CHARMING!!

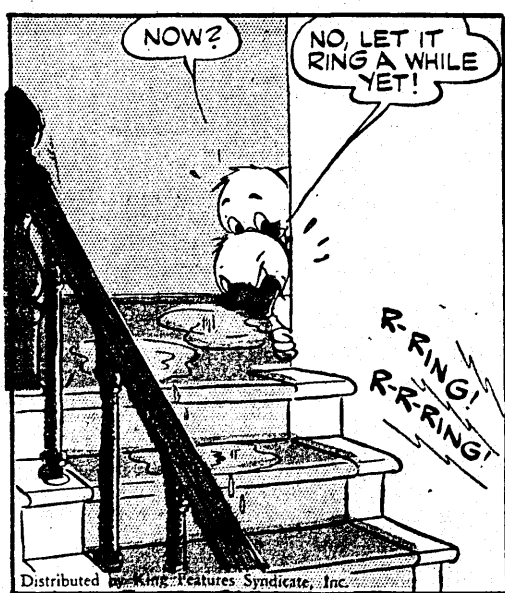
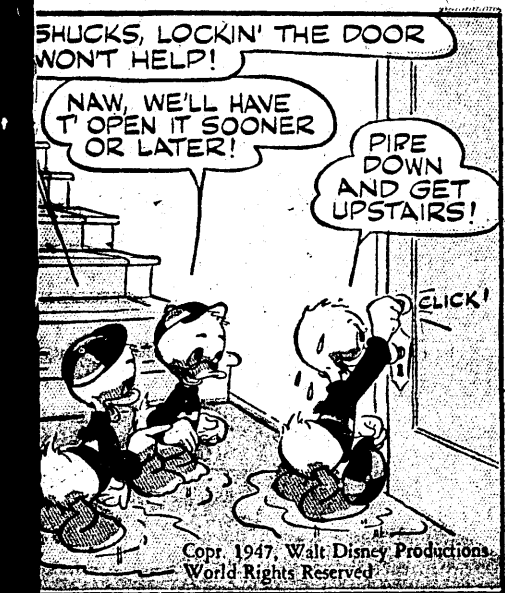
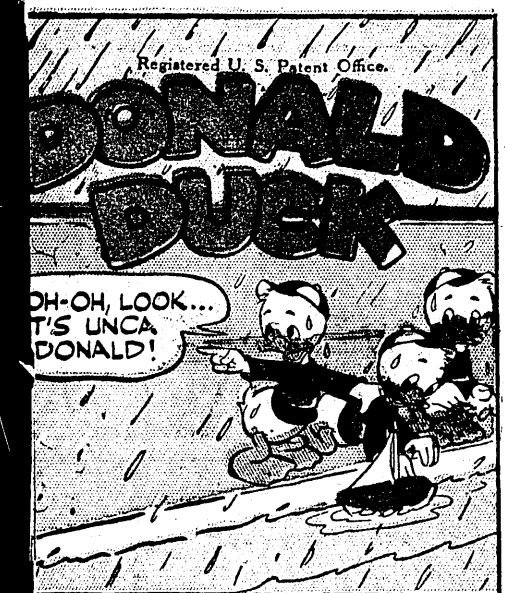
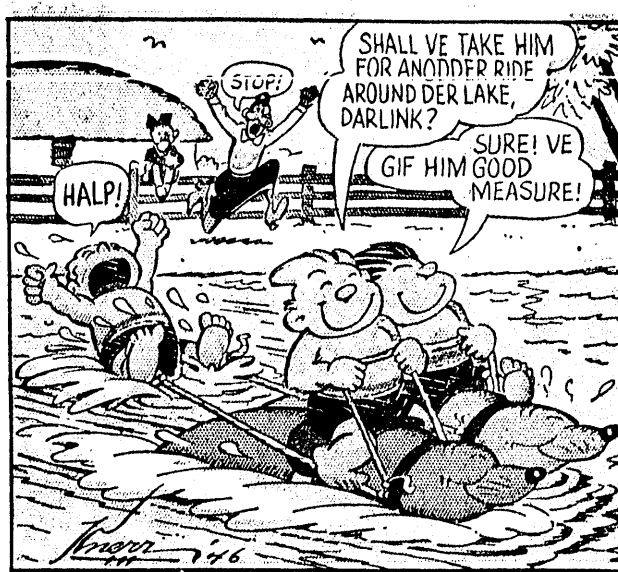
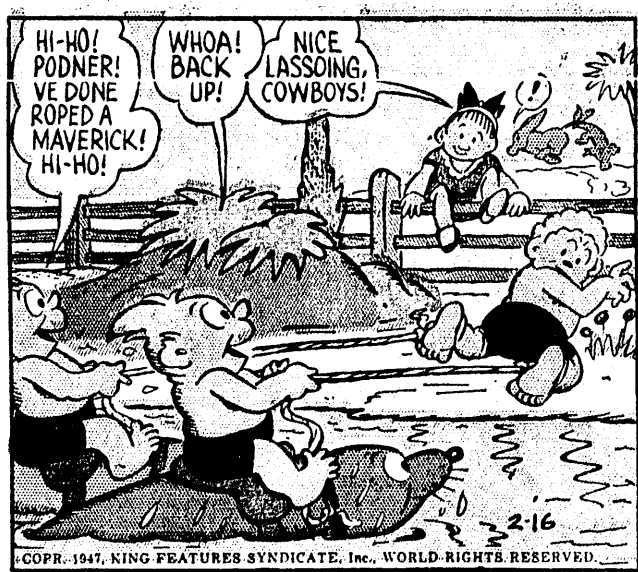
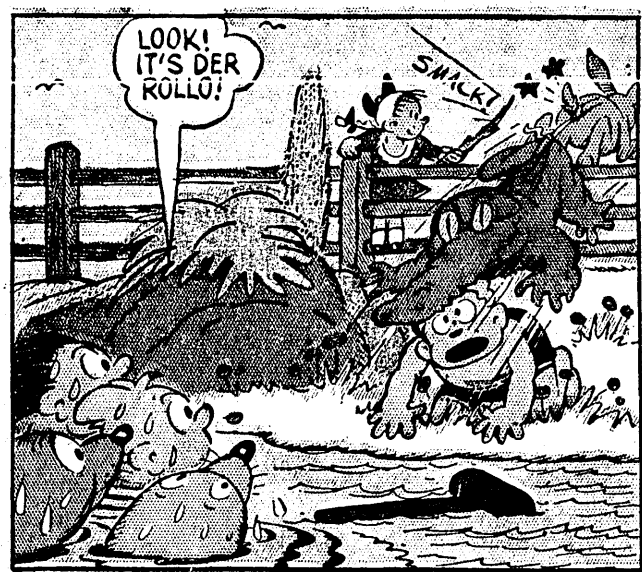
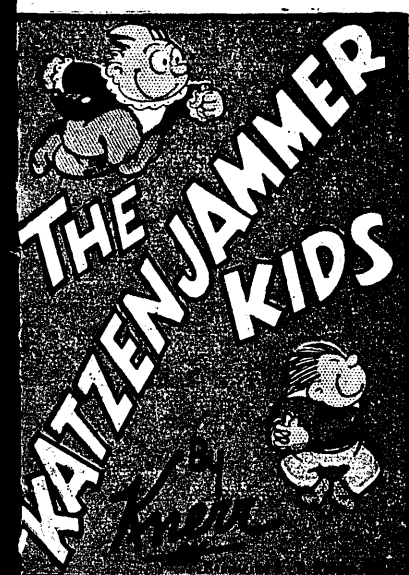
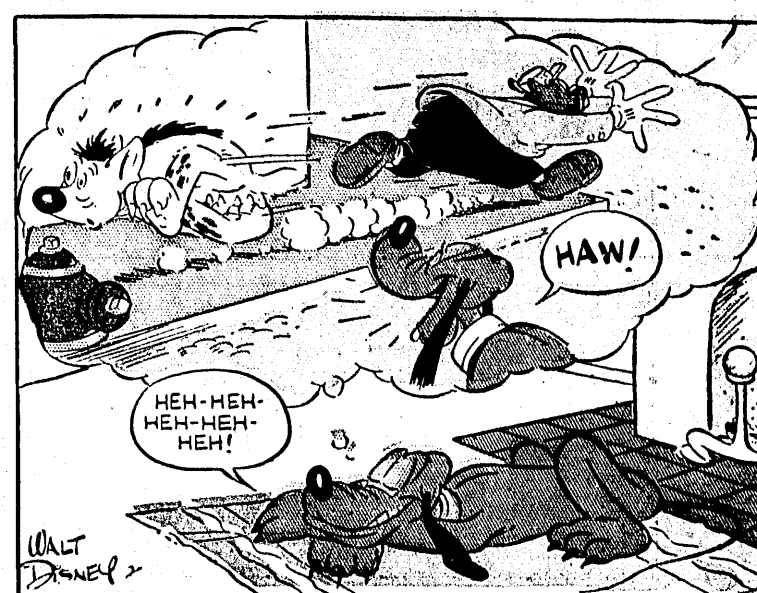
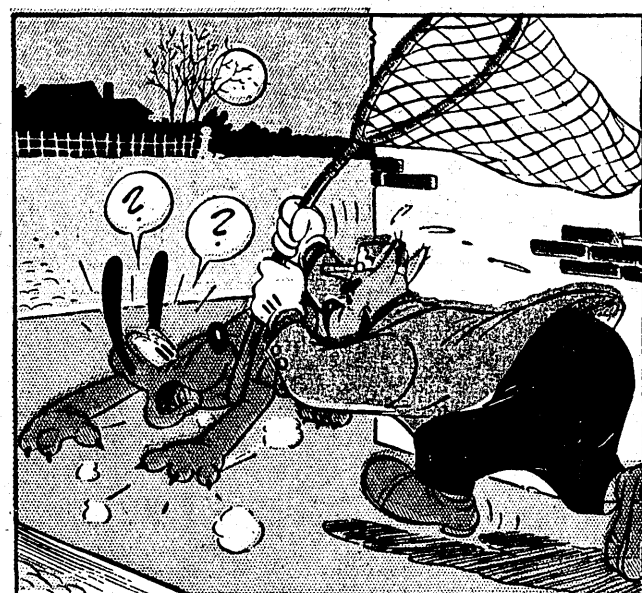
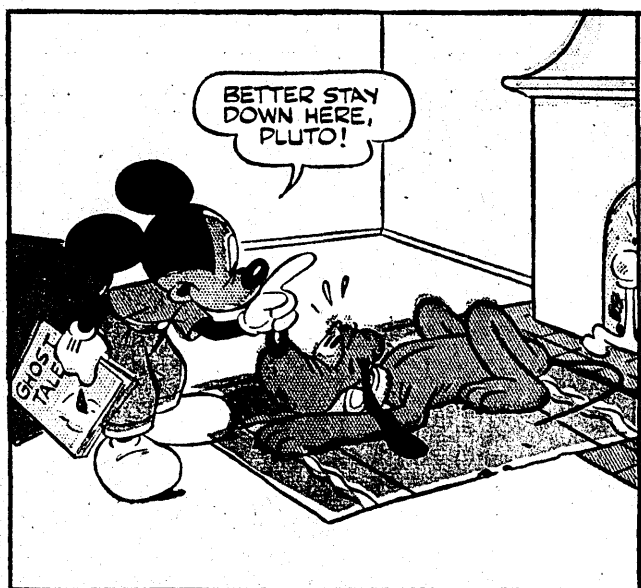
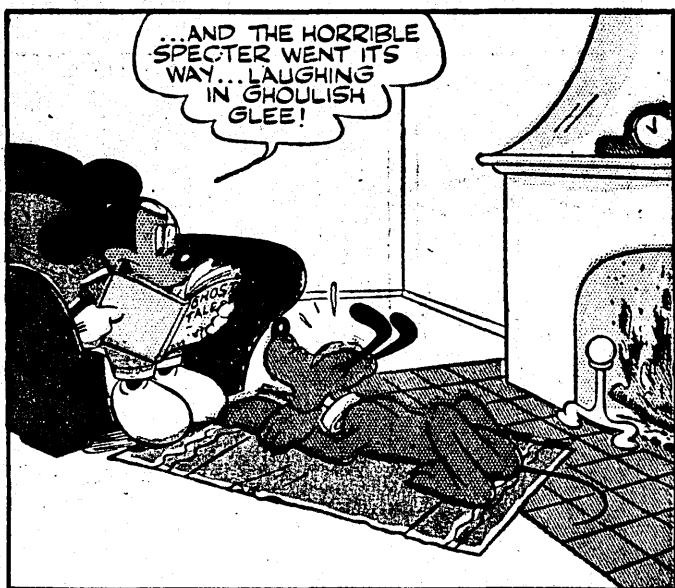
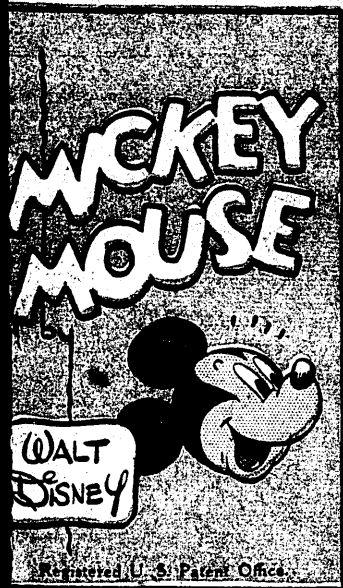


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PRICE FIVE CENTS

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ch To Trim Tru- 0,000,000 Also iff Hearing

—Postponement of any gress determines how it was announced today linnesota, of the House

et to begin Wednesday ing for a 20 per cent income levies.

an announced that the con- over how much to trim Pres- man's \$37,500,000,000 budget 1 cause delay in hearings on al tariff operations. These had been set tentatively for ebruary 24.

sw definite dates for tax or arings were set immediately, statement, Knutson said that 'ebruary 19 was selected to x considerations "it was not that final action would be that date" on fixing a con- al budget ceiling.

mate-House budget committee mended a \$6,000,000,000 re- in the president's budget, ouse has yet to act on this andation and there were these nents today:

ublican leaders announced ll try to put the \$6,000,000,000 re the House in a form re- members to accept that sum ; it. Amendments which might the figure would be barred, tative Cannon, Democrat, promptly raised the cry "gag

e Senate Republican policy ec called for a vote tomorrow G. O. P. conference on the question. Chairman Taft, Re- Ohio, of the policy group Republican senators would be register their views on sup- either the \$6,000,000,000 reduc- an alternative \$4,500,000,000 cut, nan Briggs, Republican, New ire, of the Senate appropri- munities, who is awaiting per amount, told reporters it ks as if the Republican sena- ill decline to go that far. He will accept the judgment of ference.

Taber, Republican, New York, n of the Senate House bud- ommittee, told reporters fol- a top-level Republican House ice that he plans to ask the committee for a rule under o amendments could be pre- ven the resolution comes up floor Thursday.

said this would necessitate the ither voting outright approval roval of the \$6,000,000,000 cut dent Truman's original bud- osal of \$37,500,000,000. led that the resolution will be for four hours before a vote is

explained that it was decided e resolution before the Thursday, instead of Wednes- originally planned, so that a an conference could be held ay. Purpose of the conference, id, will be "to acquaint the ship on the actual situation," n, on learning of the Republi- ns, told reporters he would rule foreclosing the presenta-

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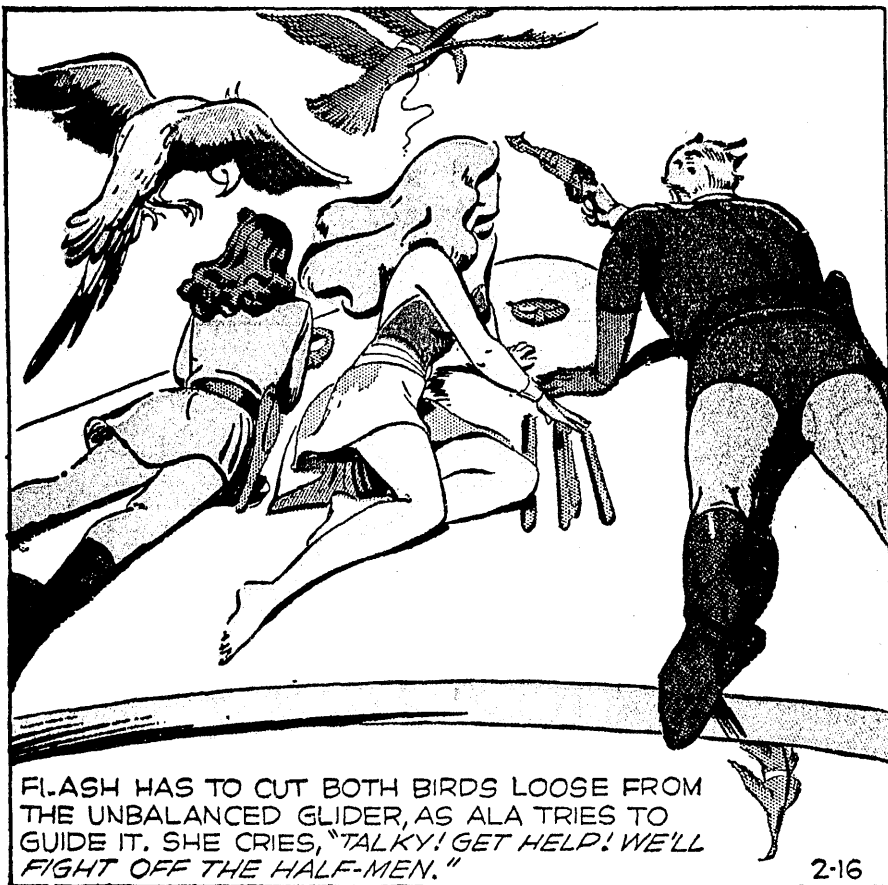
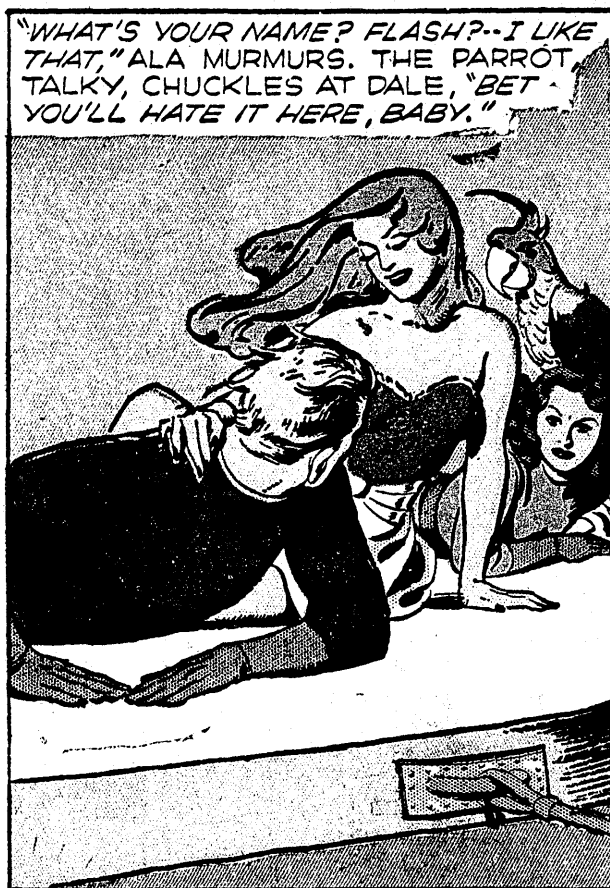
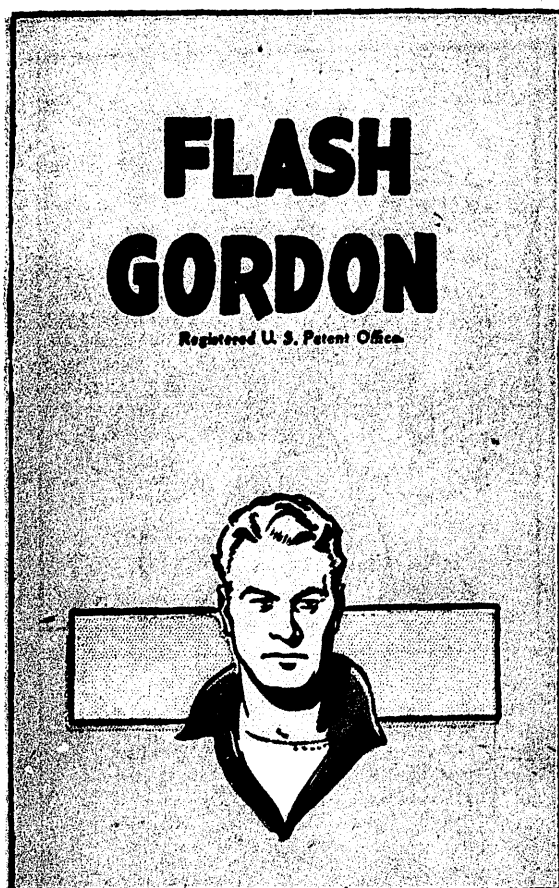
ENS, S. C., Feb. 17.—(AP)—A armed men early today re- Negro prisoner, Willie Earle, Greenville, from the Pickens jail, and an hour and a half s body was found on a road nvile county.

before 5 o'clock this morn- id 62-year-old Jailer J. Ed , "about 25 men knocked at nt door. Then they came to the back door. One of them ey wanted the Negro and t harm anybody else. Several carried shotguns, and most wore caps. They made me go into the cell. They took the nd drove away in several cars, hen a little after 5 o'clock."

6:45 o'clock the body of the who had been arrested for in- on in the stabbing of a taxi- was found in adjacent Green- unity. Coroner J. O. Turner, officer to reach the body, said y bore stab wounds and that had been shot through with n charge.

had been arrested yesterday , several hours after T. W. 50-year-old Greenville taxi- ad been found badly stabbed dside ditch. He told officers icked up a Negro fare in le Saturday night, and had abbed and robbed by the bout two miles north of the Liberty. Hospital attendants his condition critical.

Gilstrap said he did not e any members of the un- mob. hile, in Columbia Governor hurmond instructed the South constabulary to render every aid to officers of Pickens and le counties in bringing the arties to justice.

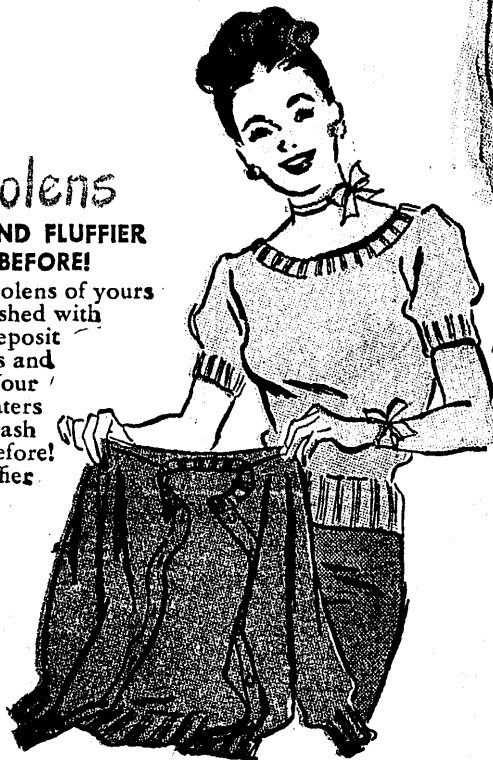


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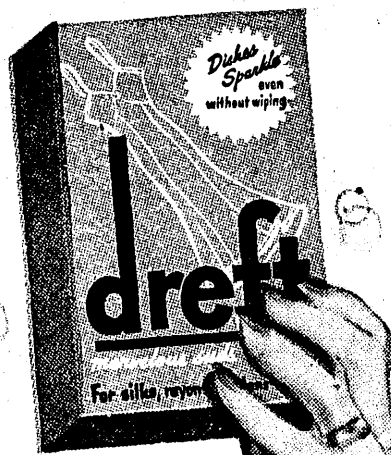
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